

MINISTER THOMAS OUTLINES FRENCH POSITION ON PEACE

"Alsace and Lorraine Must Be Won, Belgium and Serbia Restored, Militarism Ended."

PARIS, Dec. 6.—France will not make peace until Alsace and Lorraine are won, Belgium and Serbia restored, and German militarism is put beyond the possibility of resurrection. Albert Thomas, under secretary of war, said yesterday. The declaration of M. Thomas is attracting widespread attention, as it is a statement from a responsible cabinet official concerning the attitude of the Government in regard to peace.

The statements of M. Thomas were made in an address to a large crowd assembled last evening in memory of the dead of the war of 1870. M. Thomas said:

"There will be no peace until our Alsace and Lorraine are definitely re-established as part of the French unity."

"There will be no peace until our unfortunate brothers of Belgium and Serbia are assured of recovering their homes in complete security and independence."

"There will be no peace until German imperialism and Prussian militarism is put beyond the possibility of resurrection."

"There will be no peace until a system of right, founded upon the victorious union of the allies, and supported by the free adherence of neutrals has abolished forever the violence of war."

"Whatever may be the sacrifice France, united, will go steadily forward to accomplish this end. Today, before the terrible obstacle which confronts them, justice and liberty have only one road—that which our nation in arms opens to them with the machine gun and cannon."

The declaration of M. Thomas derives added significance from the fact that in addition to his connection with the cabinet he is one of the leaders of the Socialist party.

NEW HITCHES ARISE AT ATHENS

Press of Allied Countries Demands Stern Action Against Greece.

LONDON, Dec. 6.—The negotiations between Greece and the allied powers at Athens still drag, new hitches seemingly arising as the old ones are smoothed out. One day it is reported a settlement has been reached, only to be followed the next by denial or accounts of fresh difficulties confronting the diplomats.

The people of the allied countries, particularly those of France and Italy, are becoming impatient over the continual delays and the press is demanding that stern action be taken to demonstrate to King Constantine and his ministers the determination of the quadruple entente to secure the assurances demanded. New proposals are said to have been made by France and Great Britain.

An official communication has been issued at Athens to the effect that the Greek press does not represent the views of the Hellenic Government, which is said to be optimistic regarding a successful settlement, but the ground for this optimism, which has failed to impress the newspapers and public either at Athens or in London, is not given.

Premier Rhodouf again, conferred yesterday with King Constantine, who afterward received the French minister to Greece, discussing the situation at some length.

Since most of the questions pending, says Reuter's correspondent at Athens, are of a military nature, the impression is general that their solution depends on the decisions of the war council at Paris.

The attitude of Rumania also remains undecided. Since the dispatch announcing the closing of Rumanian ports to foreign trade was received silence has descended on Bucharest. The general belief here is that the Rumanian Government is waiting for the concentration of a sufficient Russian force in Rumania and a large enough Anglo-French army in Southern Serbia to make victory certain before joining the allies.

The German War Office announces that retreating Serbian troops have been overtaken and defeated near the Albanian border by the Bulgarians. More than 300 cannon were taken. The occupation of Monastir by Germans and Bulgarians is officially confirmed. Serbians retreating from Monastir are reported to have joined the French force in Serbia.

GERMANS DEFEAT SERBIAN DETACHMENTS IN MONTENEGRO.

BERLIN, Dec. 6.—By wireless to Bayville.—Tentative plans for the operations against the Serbians across the Montenegrin border have defeated Serbian detachments south of Senica and northeast of Ipak, in Eastern Montenegro, army headquarters announced today.

On the western front, near Bapaume, two British aeroplanes were shot down by the Germans, the occupants of the machines being killed.

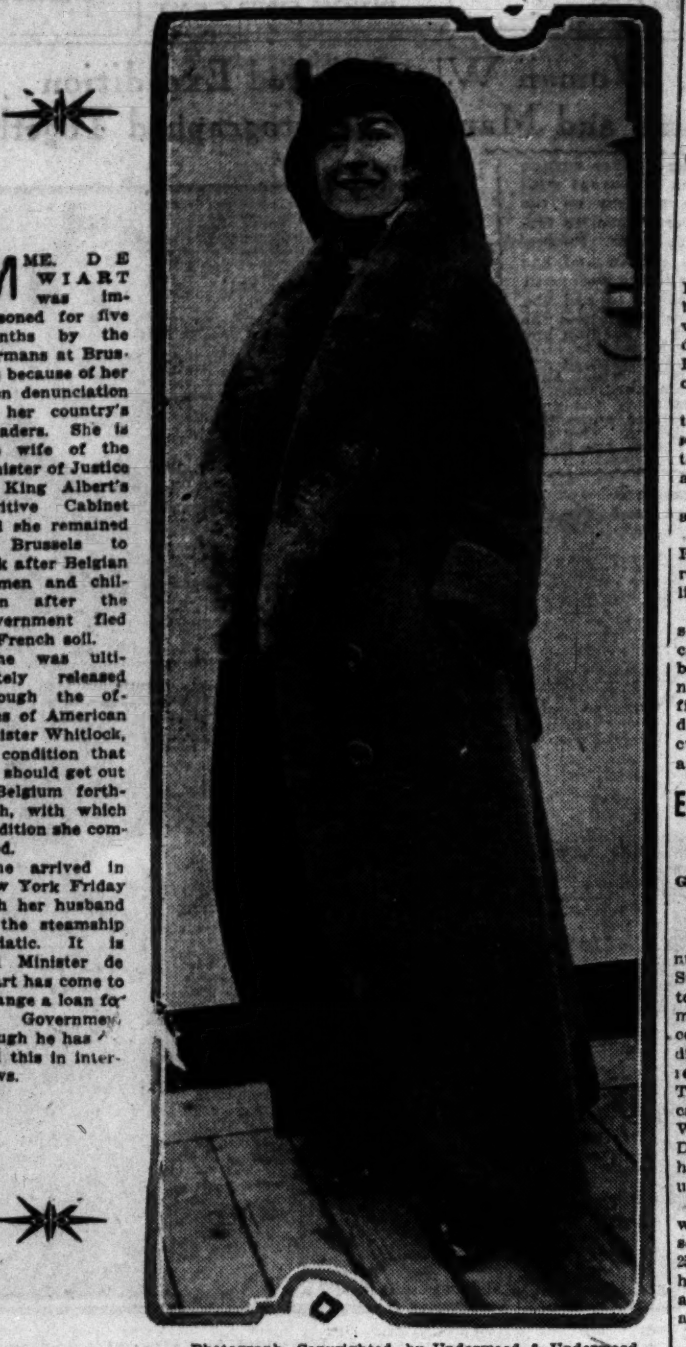
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64th Congress to Be Asked for Total of \$1,285,850,000

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anti-trust law which will aid American firms in extending foreign trade, the Philippine bill, conservation of natural resources, national prohibition, woman suffrage and tariff problems. In the Senate there are the Nicaraguan and Colombian treaties and the newly proposed convention providing for a protectorate over Haiti to be pressed for ratification.

Foreign affairs growing out of the war in Europe, disturbances in this country relating to munition sales and neutrality observance will occupy much of the attention of the Congress.

Administration leaders in both branches of Congress seem to be more optimistic over the outlook for desired legislation than they were a few weeks ago. The opposition of Representative Kitchin of North Carolina, majority leader of the next House, to the proposed army and navy increases is recognized as a handicap, but the naval and military committees, reorganized without disturbing the former balance of sentiment, have majorities favorable to the administration and leaders feel that these measures will be ably handled and dealt with satisfactorily.

On the question of revenue it is recognized that stumbling blocks are ahead, but it is almost certain that the war tax will be re-enacted and amended and that the income tax will be revised. The Ways and Means Committee of the House and Finance Committee of the Senate purposes undertaking consideration of the revenue problem at once.

One ground for more optimistic feeling among administration leaders is the turn that affairs have taken in the Senate toward a merchant marine bill. Now that a measure has been proposed which would build up Government merchant marine as an auxiliary to the navy, several Democratic Senators, among them Senator Clarke of Arkansas, who fought the ship purchase bill to death at the last session, have said they would favor such a measure.

The six Progressives of the House, Representatives Copley of Illinois, Stephens, Nolan and Elston of California, Martin of Louisiana and Schall of Minnesota, agreed yesterday that they would not attempt a party organization for the present at least. They decided that each would act according to his individual views and vote as he personally prefers, without reference to party.

Representatives Stephens and Copley will vote with the Republicans generally during the session.

The dozen or more Republicans of the "old guard" who went down in defeat three years ago, only to be returned to the lower house over Democratic opponents last fall, formed an interesting group. Joseph G. Cannon, former speaker of the House, and now well on toward 80 years of age, stood out prominently. If he finishes his present term he will have served 35 years in Congress, eight years as speaker. Other Republicans who remained at home during the last Congress to reappear to-day were Nicholas Longworth of Ohio, William W. McKinley, W. A. Hodges, William W. Wilson, George H. Fannin, John A. Stetson and Charles H. Fuller of Illinois, Ebenezer Hill of Con-

MUST BATTER FOE MORE TO WIN, SAYS VON HINDENBURG

Germany's Enemies Do Not Desire Peace at Present Time, Field Marshal Declares.

LONDON, Dec. 6.—Field Marshal von Hindenburg, in an interview obtained by Dr. Paul Goldman, expressed the view that the foes of Germany do not desire peace at the present time, says a Berlin dispatch transmitted by Reuter's correspondent at Amsterdam.

"They are not yet sufficiently battered," the Field Marshal is quoted as saying. "We must continue, therefore, to press them, since they will not admit any of our successes."

He considers the German tactical situation excellent, the interviewer reports. "Particularly in the East," said the Field Marshal. "The German army has reached the most favorable strategic line conceivable."

He believed that the Russian reserves, which have now been called, can only complete the existing basic organization and not create new armies. He added that it would fill him with "special joy" if the war does not end until the three main culprits, England, Serbia and Italy, are punished as they deserve.

EXECUTOR CITED TO EXPLAIN HIS FAILURE TO DISTRIBUTE ESTATE

George Wilmering Reported That He Had Balance of \$5064 for Heirs of Mrs. Theresa Deppes.

George Wilmering of 421 Prairie avenue, formerly a realty dealer in North St. Louis, was in the Probate Court today in response to a citation commanding him to show why he has not distributed the estate of Mrs. Theresa Deppes, of which he is executor. The citation was issued by Judge Holtcamp at the instance of Attorney H. G. Whelan, representing the heirs of Mrs. Deppes. After Wilmering had answered hearing of the matter was laid over until Friday.

Mrs. Deppes died March 12, 1914. Her will provided that Wilmering should serve as executor without bond. On Oct. 25 last, in a final report, he stated that he had a balance of \$5064 to distribute among the heirs, and the Court made an order of distribution.

ALTON STEEL PLANT PURCHASED

Laclede Company of St. Louis Gets It After Prolonged Struggle.

The Laclede Steel Co. of St. Louis has purchased the plant of the Alton Steel Co. of Alton, Ill., which went into the hands of a receiver 18 months ago and was sold under foreclosure proceedings to H. C. Fowmes of Pittsburgh, N. L. Mosler, secretary of the old Alton company, today confirmed the report of the sale of the Alton plant, but declined to announce the price. The plant cost about \$1,250,000 at the time it was built three years ago.

Fowmes paid \$425,000 for the plant at the foreclosure sale. The Laclede company is believed to have paid an advance upon this price. It is reported that the plant will be opened shortly after the first of January and about 400 men employed manufacturing steel hoops and steel billets.

Brothers Burn to Death.

PANA, Ill., Dec. 6.—John and Alfred Jolly, brothers, 17 and 21 years old respectively, were burned to death in a fire which destroyed their home here early yesterday. Alfred had escaped, but re-entered the building in an effort to rescue his brother.

MAN'S NECK BROKEN WHEN HE FALLS INTO A DITCH

Louis C. Peterman, 25 years old, of 139 Delaware avenue, Wellston, fell into a trench in front of his home last night and broke his neck.

O. Bauer of 507 Spalding avenue, going to work at 6:30 a. m., discovered the body, lying partly on the lawn and partly in the ditch. He awakened Mrs. Peterman.

The trench, which was three feet deep and three feet wide, had been dug for a drainage pipe. A brace had been erected to prevent the front fence from falling. As Peterman plunged into the trench his neck struck this brace.

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In popular language the word rheumatism is a term that covers a multitude of ills of which pain is the chief symptom.

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CHINESE REBELS CAPTURE CRUISER, BUT ARE REPELLED

About Forty Board the Chao-Ho by Ruse, Fire on Arsenal and Warships.

SHANGHAI, Dec. 6.—Three outbreaks by small bands of rebels within the last 24 hours have been put down by the authorities, who now apparently have this situation well in hand.

The cruiser Chao-Ho, seized yesterday afternoon by 40 men who boarded her by a ruse from a launch, was abandoned by the rebels early today after the ship had been shelled and set on fire. It was reported at first that the crew of the Chao-Ho had mutinied, but it developed today that the bombardment by the cruiser of other warships and the arsenal was carried on under compulsion from the rebels, who surprised and overpowered the crew. Three men on the cruiser were killed and five wounded.

An attack from land on the arsenal at midnight was repulsed quickly after some rifle firing.

The third outbreak occurred at 4 o'clock this morning. A party of 30 or 40 rebels attacked the Chapel subpost station, throwing bombs which killed one policeman and injured three. The outlaws were dispersed by troops.

The rebels were unable to make use of the heavier guns as an officer of the Chao-Ho threw overboard the keys to the magazines containing the six-inch and the four-inch shells. His action probably saved the arsenal and the foreign settlement from serious damage. Numerous shots fell in the foreign concessions, but no serious harm was done.

GRAND JURY TO INVESTIGATE PAYNE & BECKER STOCK FIRM

Circuit Attorney Learns Enough From Concern's Clients to Warrant an Inquiry.

Circuit Attorney Harvey announced today that he would bring to the attention of the grand jury the operations of the bankrupt Payne & Becker brokerage firm. He said that from what he saw in the newspapers and from statements of Randolph Laughlin, an attorney, and Robert H. McCracken and Otto Holman, clients of the company, he concluded that an investigation was in order.

Attorney Laughlin called on Circuit Attorney Harvey Friday and asked that an information be issued against Bonnie Becker, a member of the firm. According to Laughlin's statement, confirmed by McCracken and Holman, who called on the Circuit Attorney later, the plaintiff in Becker's hands Sept. 30 and he reported to them that he had bought 150,000 bushels of corn in Chicago for their account. They have not been able to verify the placing of such an order.

Riot in War Order Plant.

CLEVELAND, O., Dec. 6.—Rioting took place at the Theodor Kuntz war order auto body plant today, when 1800 men, on strike several weeks, returned to work, following a settlement. Men who had worked through the strike fought with ex-strikers. Two were arrested and one sent to a hospital as the result of injuries.

Man Found Unconscious From Hunger

Edward Byrne, 40 years old, of 4464A Maffitt avenue, was found last night unconscious from hunger and exposure, in a lot at 4000 South King's highway. He was taken to the city hospital. The police were asked by his daughter, Miss Mayne Byrne, to look for him.

NEW GRAND JURY TOLD TO CONSIDER DEATHS BY AUTOS

Fifty Fatal Accidents in Eleven Months Demand Inquiry, Judge Grimm Says.

Circuit Judge Grimm, in his instructions to the December grand jury today, called attention to the fact that in the last 11 months more than 50 persons have been killed by automobiles in St. Louis. He did not know, he said, how many of these deaths were due to carelessness of drivers, but thought the frequency of such accidents demanded consideration.

If a person was killed through the culpable negligence of another, he pointed out, it was manslaughter in the fourth degree and could be punished by imprisonment in the penitentiary or in jail or by fine and imprisonment.

He also called attention to the fact that it is a felony for a person to drive away from the scene of an accident.

Pettit Justice Office Lenses.

It was doubtless true, the judge said, that petit juries in many cases had shown too great leniency, but this, he said, should not deter the grand jury from indicting all who violate the statutes relating to drivers of automobiles.

The grand jury was also instructed to continue the investigation begun by the October grand jury into the conduct of city employees and employees of the Sheriff's office. Persons in public office, he said, should be held to the strictest accountability. The conduct of city and State employees should be investigated thoroughly, he said, and if the evidence justified they should be indicted.

MRS. GALT ASKED TO AID SLAYER

Porto Ricans Try to Prevent Countryman's Execution at Sing Sing.

NEW YORK, Dec. 6.—Petitions signed by thousands of Porto Ricans are said to be on the way here, asking Gov. Whitman to prevent the execution, Dec. 20, at Sing Sing prison of Antonio Ponton, said to be the first Porto Rican ever convicted of murder outside of the island. He was found guilty of killing Bessie Kromer, a Schenectady school teacher.

It is said that if the Governor refuses to intervene, President Wilson will be appealed to and that a petition already has been forwarded to Mrs. Norman Galt, the President's fiancée, asking for her help in Ponton's behalf.

Kansas Post's Widow Dies.

KANSAS CITY, Mo., Dec. 6.—Mrs. Jeannette Ware, widow of Eugene F. Ware, the Kansas poet, died today at the home of her daughter in Kansas City, Kan. She was 66 years old. She had written many essays on the works of Shakespeare.

MALTED MILK AND POTTERY TO BE MADE IN DENVER BREWERIES

Five Plants There and at Golden to Be Turned Into Factories Because of Prohibition.

DENVER, Colo., Dec. 6.—Four of the five brewery plants in Denver and Golden will be operated on a small scale in the manufacture of products other than alcoholic drinks after Jan. 1, when the prohibition law is expected to go into effect, it was said today. The four breweries have a capitalization of over \$1,000,000 and employ 60 men.

The fifth brewery will be operated more extensively as a malted milk factory, with the making of pottery as a side issue. Parts of some of the breweries will be converted into cold storage establishments.

The owners of one plant, whose employees have lived near by for years, have turned to the manufacture of pottery to keep the community intact, and are filling orders all over the country.

The Colorado Supreme Court today upheld the validity of the State-wide prohibition law.

BIG BRITISH CRUISER SEEN IN GULF NEAR GALVESTON

Belief Is That She Is Waiting to Seize Ship Laden With Cotton.

GALVESTON, Tex., Dec. 6.—A British cruiser steamed slowly along Galveston's gulf front for several hours yesterday, remaining just beyond the three-mile limit. Shortly after noon the cruiser put on full steam and disappeared eastward.

The signal corps at Fort San Jacinto signalled the man-of-war and asked her identity, receiving the reply: "A registered British cruiser."

The opinion prevails that this was the same cruiser which has been reported in the gulf for several days and which is thought to be waiting for the departure of the steamer Ausable, formerly the Dutch steamer Laura, recently changed to American registry. The Ausable is loaded with cotton and her owners recently announced she would sail for a Danish port.

It is said that the British Government alleges the Ausable was purchased with German money and has threatened to seize her as soon as she leaves American waters.

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SWEDISH ENVOY EXONERATED

WASHINGTON, Dec. 6.—Sir Cecil Spring-Rice, the British Ambassador today addressed a formal communication to Secretary Lansing denying published reports that the Embassy had made representation to the American Government that W. A. F. Ekengren, the Minister from Sweden here had been transmitting communications from Count von Bernstorff, the German Ambassador to the Berlin Foreign Office.

At the Swedish Legation a similar denial was made.

SIX ACCUSED OF A MURDER PLOT AGAINST SHIPS

Robert Fay and Other New York Suspects Named in New Indictments.

NEW YORK, Dec. 6.—Five additional indictments were returned today against Robert Fay, Walter Scholz, Max Breitung, Dr. Herbert Klenza, Engelbert Bronkhorst and Paul Daeshe. All were charged with conspiracy to commit murder, to commit assault with deadly weapons to destroy ships.

The previous indictments against them merely charged them with attempting to destroy ships.

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Fay, who says he is a Lieutenant in the German army, and his associates were originally arrested on charges of conspiring to blow up ships carrying munitions to the allies. Fay claimed to have invented a device which would be attached to the propellers of the ship and which would be exploded by the movement of the vessel.

The original charge referred to ships presumably owned by the allied nations. The new indictments specifically state that the alleged conspiracy was directed against American and ships owned in part or whole in this country.

The purpose of the new indictments is to cover possible technicalities not embraced in the original bills, particularly to embrace any events within the territorial waters of the United States.

Two of the defendants, Max Breitung and Dr. Klenza, are at present out on bail. They will not be rearrested, but will be notified to appear in court and give new bonds. Daeshe is in custody in Jersey City.

Police today took to police headquarters for investigation, Eugene Kluger, described as a Hungarian type-setter, his wife, and Anton F. Mente, an Austrian. In Kluger's apartment the detectives say they found a large consignment of chemicals and explosives.

The detectives say they trailed Mente for several days, observing his acts at various steamship docks both in New York and Hoboken.

MAN ATTACKED BADLY SLASHED

Physician's Post 49 Stitches in Two Wounds.

James Devlin, 35 years old, of 141 Madison street, was slashed twice across the face and neck at 11:30 yesterday morning at Tenth and Carr streets when he was on his way home from a meeting of the Cement Workers' Union. He told the police he did not know his assailant. City hospital physicians put 49 stitches in two gashes, one from the mouth to the left ear, and the other from the left ear across the neck.

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region of the country is one of anxiety and apprehension, which confirms my view that any trouble that this coun-

try need anticipate from any direction menaces our Western coast. In these days of "secret alliances" and readjustments it is not safe to figure on the friendship of any nation. The present

war has proved this beyond all question, and it is well to bear in mind that if we are to have a navy it ought to be as large at least as that of the greatest naval power, instead of as large as

that of the second or third naval power. Two smaller navies in conjunction, under an "alliance," may be quite as large as the largest. The position of American commerce today and its absolute dependence on the will of Great Britain, owing to her navy, should teach us our absolute dependence, as far as international trade and commerce are concerned, unless we are able to cope with and are strong as any power that might seek to dictate to us. This is not a partisan question but one for every American to consider seriously and impartially, neither depending on or hoping for the friendship of any other nation. Anything less than this would be of no avail and not worth starting on.

JACOB GOULD SCHURMAN of Cornell National defense is a national question, not a party issue. I wish it might be carefully considered with some reference to the facts of the situation, among which perhaps the controlling elements are the extent of our liability to attack by any nation or nations of the Old World and the degree of preparation necessary to meet that contingency, dealing always with reasonable probabilities and no mere abstract possibilities. Our national ideals tend to protect us with all its heart and mind in peaceful industry and in the constant substitution of law for force, as a means of settling international disputes. Yet, we must protect ourselves against wanton attacks, and it cannot be denied that the Monroe Doctrine is not universally accepted by the nations of Europe. How far we ought to go in forcibly asserting the Monroe Doctrine has not yet been determined or thought out clearly. However, this is a national policy and not a party matter. From every point of view the question of the nation's preparedness transcends party lines. It is a question that concerns all Americans.

ARTHUR T. HADLEY of Yale: I heartily approve of the idea that it is the duty of public men to wake up their minds on questions of national defense with as little reference as possible to party affiliations or party prospects.

MARION L. BURTON of Smith College: It is not difficult to understand how there can be wide divergence of opinion upon the issue of preparedness. But it is difficult, if not impossible, to comprehend how it can be regarded as a party question. The present world situation required this country to face seriously the possibility of national defense. It is not a question for Republican or Democrat, as such, but for every citizen and representative of the people, regardless of his party affiliations. I am unqualifiedly opposed to militarism. What I am an advocate of peace, as a practical necessity, I favor a rational, moderate and adequate protection, solely for defense.

A. C. HUMPHREYS of Stevens Institute of Technology: I am firmly of the opinion that the developments of the last 18 months demonstrate that preparedness for defense has become a paramount duty of our Government, irrespective of party lines. The arrival of the millennium seems to have been indefinitely postponed.

HENRY C. KING of Oberlin College: I certainly do not think that the question of preparedness should be a partisan one. The extent, the economies and the morals of it should be considered in the light of the highest patriotism—that is, in the light of the duty that is not afraid to face all the facts, and to see the question in its large international relations. The question of preparedness involves so much for the future life of the nation that statesmanship, not politics, should decide the issues.

RICHARD C. McLAURIE of Massachusetts Institute of Technology: Preparedness raised the grave question of national safety which is on an entirely different plane from the questions that divide the parties. "Safety first" is a motto that should appeal to the Republicans and Democrats alike.

HARRY P. JUDSON of the University of Chicago: In my opinion the question of adequate national preparedness is one for all Americans and not for party lines.

HARMAN C. BUMPUS of Tufts College: The trivial interests of political parties are commonplace and contemptible, when tragedies of national death are being enacted. Our hold on life as a nation is insecure, and its immediate strengthening is not the prerogative of the Democrat or the Republican, but of every person who is enjoying the privilege of free citizenship.

ELMER ELLSWORTH BROWN of New York University: I believe men of all parties should work together for a military program that shall be moderate and free from hysteria. It is equally important that we have a program for the permanent improvement of our diplomatic service, with proper provision for the housing and staffing of our embassies and legations, and backed by an educated sense of international responsibility on the part of our people.

ARTHUR A. HAMMERSCHLAG of Carnegie Institute of Technology: Permit me to call attention to the great need of the establishment of a sound foreign policy. This policy should be clearly enunciated and accepted by those countries with whom we now have friendly relations, and all parties could join in having this policy developed by the best constructive minds in America. Without such a policy, preparedness is a menace. With it, preparedness becomes an essential welfare.

FRANK J. GOODNOW of Johns Hopkins University: I certainly do believe that the question of national preparedness is one that transcends party lines and that both Republicans and Democrats should put aside all partisanship in the seeking of a solution of the problem connected with it.

M. W. STRYKER of Hamilton College: I thoroughly believe that we should be prepared, as we now are not.

HARRY A. CAMPBELL of Williams College: I agree that the question of national preparedness is one that transcends party lines and that both Republicans and Democrats ought to put aside partisanship in seeking a solution of the problem. But this must not be taken to imply that I favor a big army and navy program. I cannot discover substantial grounds upon which to base the demands of the alarmists.

HERBERT FOX NICHOLS of Dartmouth College: The whole matter is so what, if any, increased armament should be undertaken by the nation at this time is too grave a question to be treated as a party issue.

M. E. BRAYNE of Colgate University: It is my profound conviction that the question of national preparedness is the

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most pressing and important before the American people. Its discussion should transcend all party lines. It demands the best thought and the finest patriotic sentiment of which a great people is capable.

SIDNEY E. MEZER, of the College of the City of New York: I hope Democrats, Republicans and Progressives will put aside all partisanship in dealing with and arranging for national preparedness. The question far transcends party lines.

GEORGE W. KIRCHWEY, Dean of Columbia University: I am strongly of the opinion that the question of reasonable preparedness for war is one of patriotism and common sense, and not of party politics. While I personally believe that the present agitation is the fruit of panic and has no justification in the actual facts of the international situation, I also recognize that preparation for possible contingencies is proper and necessary. What this should be will depend on a far-sighted consideration of our national policy with respect to other nations. If this is to be one of fear and suspicion, there will be no limit to the armed forces we shall require. If it is to be one of trust and good-will, and especially if we shun the temptation to mix in the rivalries and ambitions of other powers, we can afford to go quietly to work to get and keep our own house in order.

JOHN GRIGER HIBBEN of Princeton University: I am strongly of the opinion that the problem of national preparedness is an essentially concerns the whole nation should be solved without any regard whatever to party lines.

CHARLES A. WHITMAN, Governor of New York: I answer most emphatically YES, to both questions.

FRANK T. WILLIS, Governor of Ohio: Any program for preparedness which relegates the National Guard organizations to the rear is foredoomed to failure. The National Guard of the United States is made up of trained men, many of whom have given years to the service. This splendid organization should be strengthened and made the second line of defense. Ohio is proud of its military organization, perfected through years of effort, and will not consent to have it obliterated.

DAVID I. WALSH, Governor of Massachusetts: This question of national preparedness is a patriotic and not a party question. Both Democrats and Republicans should settle this problem as Americans and not as partisans.

PHILLIPS LEE GOLDSBOROUGH, Governor of Maryland: The question of preparedness is one of patriotism and not of party. I therefore feel that while parties may differ as to methods, they cannot do so as to purposes. I am an adherent of adequate national defense to be accomplished without unnecessary delay.

R. M. LIVINGSTONE BECKMAN, Governor of Rhode Island: I consider preparedness a national question and not one for the advancement of any political party, but rather one for the safety of every citizen and the security of his property.

H. C. STUART, Governor of Virginia: I can see no room for partisanship in the consideration of the question of national preparedness. To my mind the conservative program outlined by the President should afford standing ground, at least for the present, for all elements of political parties.

CHARLES R. MILLER, Governor of Delaware: Military and naval preparedness is the most important question now before the country. It should receive immediate attention and liberal support from all parties, regardless of what may be their political differences on other national issues. Failure at this time to provide complete and adequate means for the protection of that heritage which came to us unimpaired from our forefathers will be a crime against Christian civilization and the future generations.

W. S. HAMMOND, Governor of Massachusetts: Citizens believing the welfare of the country of more importance than the advancement of a political party will, in my judgment, hold questions of preparedness nonpartisan. Partisans may differ from their more war-loving brothers, but, in consideration of preparedness, all should ask: what is best for the country and not what is best for a political party.

E. L. PHILLIPS, Governor of Wisconsin: Better preparedness for national defense is a public necessity and should not be made a party question in Congress. I would oppose the creation of an army so large that it would mean militarism, in the sense that it has existed in Europe. However, we should have an increased army, ready for immediate service. That can be done by reasonable increase of our standing army and by proper encouragement by the United States Government of state military organizations. Our Washington Government should adopt a broad American policy and be entirely just in its relations with all belligerent nations. Such a policy should receive the support of the American people regardless of party affiliation.

JAMES B. MCCREARY, Governor of Kentucky: I believe the question of national preparedness is one that transcends party lines and I am sure that both Republicans and Democrats should put aside all partisanship in seeking a solution of the problem confronting the nation. Our country is not at present prepared as it should be, according to its wealth, population, environments and dangers. We should have a greater army and a greater navy.

R. E. HARRIS, Governor of Georgia: I believe that the question of national preparedness is of paramount importance and ought to appeal to all parties. The safety of the Republic should be the highest aim of every patriot within her territory.

KENNETH D. BOYLE, Governor of Nevada: I cannot see that any patriotic American is justified in injecting partisan politics into the question of preparedness for our national defense any more than he would be justified in considering party affiliations if an actual necessity for these defenses arose. The European belligerents have effectively knocked the bottom out of the theory that peaceful means will, in all cases, settle international differences and while our pacific ideals are dear to us, they are not as sacred as the maintenance of our national respect and honor. Let us adhere to our ideals, but, knowing well the methods em-

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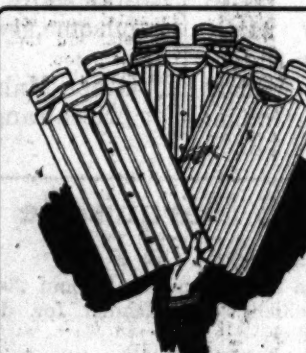
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played by our neighbors, let us go armed.

RICHARD L. MANNING, Governor of South Carolina. National preparedness is a question which demands the earnest support of all Americans and rises above party lines or sectional differences.

JAMES WATKINS, Governor of Oregon. Most certainly national preparedness transcends party lines.

ARTHUR CAPPER, Governor of Kansas. I agree that national preparedness for national responsibilities of every character is a subject that transcends party lines and that Republicans and Democrats should put aside partisanship in seeking a solution of such a national problem. I, therefore, believe that Congress should not be driven by terror into hasty and ill-considered action and the expenditure of hundreds of millions of dollars unnecessarily and uselessly. I believe that far better than any such expenditures by Congress at the present session would be the appointment of a committee to investigate the state of the national defense in all respects and to report also on the use that has been made of the enormous appropriations of more than \$1,000,000,000 made in the last 11 years for national defense, so that costly mistakes in the future may be avoided. The country is in no danger of invasion, with all great nations engaged in a life and death struggle. To permit itself to be hurried or stampeded into reckless appropriations at this time would be a reflection on the competency of Congress to represent the country.

GEORGE W. F. MUNT, Governor of Arizona. I heartily agree with the President in holding that no political partisan considerations should be permitted to interfere with the problem of finding adequate means of guaranteeing protection and peace for the nation.

WOODBRIDGE N. FERRIS, Governor of Michigan. The question of national preparedness transcends party lines. It should be impossible, in considering this question, for members of Congress to classify themselves as Democrats or Republicans. Real patriotism transcends party allegiance. National preparedness is for all of the people all the time.

JOHN B. KENDRICK, Governor of Wisconsin. The necessity of making adequate provision for national defense should be apparent to all. Partisanship should not be allowed to hinder or embarrass the enactment of necessary legislation, therefore.

PABLO V. WHEELER, Governor of Florida. I believe adequate preparedness for national defense is a matter of vital importance to the nation as a whole, and not a party matter at this time. Political parties might differ as to the program to be followed, but for the present I believe the question too big and too vital for becoming a bone of contention between the political parties. It is evident that the people of the United States, or a majority of them, feel that the nation at this time is not adequately prepared for defense. I do not favor military or naval preparations beyond what is necessary for defense, as the lesson on militarism is plainly before us.

CHARLES WINSTON GATES, Governor of Tennessee. The question of national preparedness is the great problem that now confronts us, and our representatives at Washington, Democrat or Republican, Progressive or non-partisan, should realize it and act without party prejudice, and with but the ultimate good of all in view.

EARL BREWER, Governor of Mississippi. I think the question of national preparedness is one that every patriotic citizen should feel is larger than party partisanship and he should stand by the President as a patriotic citizen and uphold his hands.

Hear Hobson Tuesday evening, Dec. 7, 8 p. m., at the Union Avenue Methodist Church, Grand and Delmar avs., free.

SOCIETY

MRS. ESTHER MOSES, daughter of the late Dr. Gratz Moses, formerly of St. Louis, has come from Montrose, Ala., to be married Dec. 13 to Norborne R. Clarke of Mobile, Ala.

The wedding will take place at the home of the bride's sister, Mrs. Paul T. Tupper, at 423 Berlin avenue, and will be in the evening at 8 o'clock, with only near relatives present.

Mrs. Louis Malone of New York, who was Miss Ella Moses, also is here and the bride's brother, Ashby Moses, with her aunt, Mrs. William F. Page, will come from Mobile in time for the wedding.

The bride's grandmother was Miss Marie Page, and lived in St. Louis until about 18 years ago, when her mother went to Mobile to reside.

She has been a frequent visitor in her old home and made her debut here.

An out-of-town marriage of interest in St. Louis will be that of Mrs. Florence Kelly Rayburn, the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Teris Kelly of New York and the granddaughter of Mrs. J. L. D. Morrison of St. Louis to Emil Schill which will take place in New York, Dec. 11, at the home of her parents on Staten Island.

Mrs. Rayburn has been residing with her parents in New York since obtaining a divorce from Amos V. Rayburn Jr., three years ago. She married him in New York in 1906 and came here to make her home at 11 Hortense place.

She has one child, Alfred Teris Rayburn, about five years of age. Mr. Schill is a German and lives at the Chemists' Club in New York.

Mrs. Amos V. Rayburn of 624 Lindell boulevard will give a reception Thursday to present her daughter, Miss Charlotte Rayburn, one of the debutantes of the season. The hours will be from 4 to 8 o'clock.

Mr. and Mrs. James H. Platt, formerly of St. Louis, now of San Francisco, Cal., have gone to Los Angeles for three months. Mrs. Platt was Miss Ann Drew.

\$2,000 Conservative Savings Note Over \$2,000,000.00.

On deposit at 5% per cent with the St. Louis Union Bank, 24th and Locust.

CITY SANITARIUM TRUSTY DIES

Burns, Apparently Made by Acid.

Found on His Bed.

Michael O'Connor, 39 years old, a patient-trusty at the City Sanitarium, died yesterday afternoon presumably from poison.

Dr. George A. Johns, superintendent of the institution, who pronounced O'Connor's life several hours with antidotes, observed burns on O'Connor's lips made by carbolic acid.

Father Timothy Dempsey, at whose hotel O'Connor stayed prior to his removal to the sanitarium in 1911, said that he had placed \$200 belonging to O'Connor in the hands of the Public

Administrator and that if there was note of that money left, he would see to it that O'Connor was properly buried.

O'Connor is survived by a sister, Miss Marie O'Connor, 2154 5th Portland, Mo.

The Great West For Deen's Candies. Xmas boxes, big variety. Order now. We'll deliver any day. 213 Olive, Main Bldg.

\$20,000 for Wife Deaths.

BOOMER, W. Va., Dec. 4.—The Coroner's inquest into the explosion here last Tuesday at the mine of the Boomer Coal and Coke Co., which killed 23 men, is in progress here. Estimates place the

loss to the State workmen's compensation fund by the accident at \$2,000.

Sold Without a Bid for Success.

HONOLULU, T. H., Dec. 4.—J. H. McCann, United States Attorney for the District of Hawaii, has resigned and will

return to Tennessee to contest for the Democratic nomination for United States Senator.

BELL-ANS Absolutely Removes Indigestion. One package proves it. 25c at all druggists.

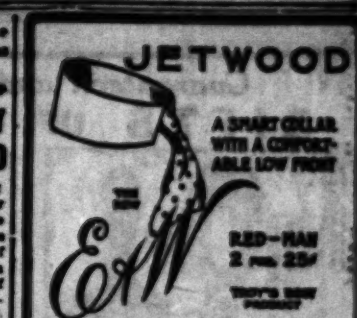
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PILES CURED AT HOME BY NEW ABSORPTION METHOD

If you suffer from bleeding, itching, pain or protruding piles, send me your address and I will tell you how to cure yourself at home by the new absorption method; and will also send some of this home treatment free for trial, with references from your own locality if requested. Users report immediate relief and speedy cure. Send no money. Get full details of this offer. Write at once to Mrs. J. H. Summers, Box 7, New

Dallas, Tex.

JETWOOD A SPARK COLLAR WITH A COMFORTABLE LOW FRONT



For the Children

Bring the Children to our Basement Toy Shop and let them send a "Wishes" message of their wants to Santa's workshop.

Take them, also, to see Christmas Tree Park, on the Fourth Floor.

Established in 1850

Scruggs-Vandervoort-Barnes

OLIVE and LOCUST from NINTH to TENTH

The Best Goods for the Price No Matter What the Price

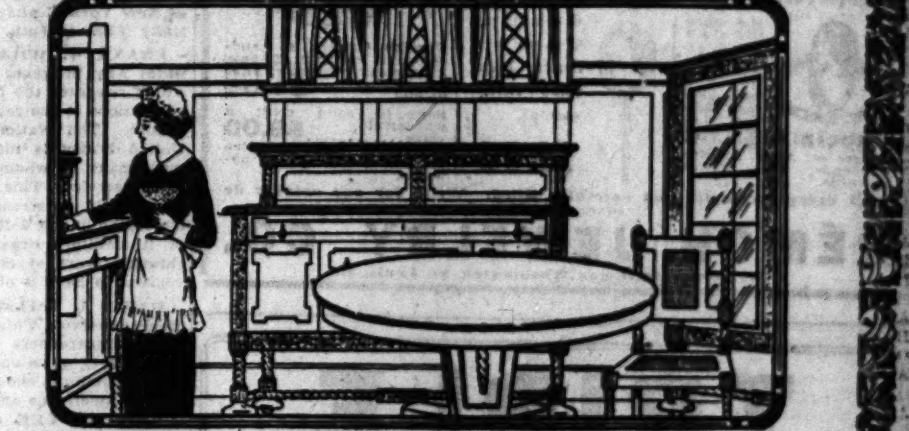
Tickets on Sale

Tuesday night will be Scruggs-Vandervoort-Barnes and Business Men's League Night to see "It Pays to Advertise" at the Olympic. Reserved seats for ANY night can be secured at our Ticket Office.

Do Your Holiday Shopping in This Great Christmas Store

Which Has More Than 100 Specialty Shops Brimful of New Merchandise

Our Furniture Shop Offers Scores of Practical Hints for Christmas



The Items in the Accompanying List Are but Suggestive of Our Big Stock

Furniture is becoming more and more popular every year because of the increasing tendency to make gifts that are practical. At Vandervoort's you can choose from a tremendous variety of pieces adapted to the needs of men, women or children at prices to suit everyone.

Select your Furniture now and it will be held, if desired, for delivery upon any day you may wish.

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| Mahogany Footstools; tapestry upholstered, \$2.00 | Many other styles, ranging in price from \$2.00 to \$25 | Golden Oak Cellarets \$8.50 | Other Cellarets priced up to \$15.00 | Mahogany Sewing Tables—pedestal style—with two fitted drawers and drop sides \$12.00 | Mahogany Tables—Martha Washington style, \$12.00 | Mahogany Nests of Tables, \$13.50 | Mahogany Reading Tables, \$8.50 | Mahogany Costumers—fine quality, \$9.00 | Brass Dinner Chimes; wall bracket effect, \$1.75 | Fancy Mirror—size 24 1/2 x 32 1/2 inches, with ebony-finished, ornamented frame, \$8.00 | Mahogany Dinner Gongs; 4-note style, \$10.00 | Antique-Brown Mahogany Cellaret, in roll-top style; handsomely equipped, \$70.00 | Antique Mahogany Console Table and Mirror—Adam style, \$29.50 | Women's Writing Desk; open-top style, \$26.00 | Antique-Brown Mahogany Living Room Bench—Adam style; decorated with cane, \$30.00 | Mahogany Pedestals; double-column style, \$33.00 | Other Pedestals to choose from at \$5.50 to \$60.00 | Antique-Brown Mahogany Library Table—William and Mary style, \$32.50 | Mahogany Bookcases—very handsome styles to select from at \$50.00 | Other Mahogany Bookcases at prices ranging from \$17.50 to \$175.00 | Solid Mahogany English Fireside Chair and Rocker to match; tapestry upholstered, each, \$21.50 | English Club Chair—all-over upholstered—of extremely fine finish and large size, \$50.00 | Chaise Lounge of large size and all-over covered with denim, \$39.75 | Davenport of large size and all-over covered with green, brown or blue denim. Very special value at \$49.75 | Brown Mahogany "Pie Crust" Table with tilting top; large size, \$36.00 | Mahogany Book Trough on wheels; fine quality, \$22.50 | Mahogany Standing Book Rack, \$12.50 | Costumers in all finishes, \$1.95 | Mahogany Secretary, roll-top style, \$49.50 | Mahogany Footstools; denim upholstered, \$4.00 | Mahogany Cellaret—very handsome, at \$40.00 | Mahogany Tea Wagons, at \$7.75 | Poker Tables—tilting tops, at \$34.00 | The next size at \$27.00 | Tea Wagons, in fumed oak and Kaiser gray, \$1.50 | Children's Settees with white enameled frame and upholstered seat. Very special at \$7.50 | Children's Tables—both square and round shapes, \$2.00 | Children's Chairs are shown in many styles, priced upward from 75c | Children's Oak-finished Tables are priced at \$2.00 | Chairs to match, each, \$1.50 |
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Sale of \$3.75 Marquisette Curtains at \$2.75 Pair

We have just received a late shipment of about 200 pairs of Marquisette Curtains, which were intended for delivery during our Anniversary Sale.

One-half are white and the other half eon color with filet insertion and edge. They are really \$3.75 values, but we will offer them, while this lot lasts, at the pair \$2.75

Gift Suggestions for the Home

Fancy Marquisette and Volle Bed Sets, consisting of bed-cover and bolster roll; trimmed with laces in Cluny and Fillet effects. We are showing some very special values at the set \$5.50 to \$13.50

Folding Screen Frames of Utility Boxes, covered with white enamel, to be filled with pretty cretonnes and with white enamel and mahogany trimming, \$1.65 to \$8.00

Our China Shop Affords Many Christmas Gift Suggestions

Both the beautiful as well as useful kind of gifts can be found in great variety in our China Shop. We wish to call special attention to the many inexpensive pieces we have to offer.

Choice of These Pieces at 50c

At the above prices we offer Handled Baskets, three-piece Mayonnaise Sets, Fancy Salad Plates and Baby Plates, Syrup Jugs, Candle Sticks, fancy-shaped Vases, Mustard Stands, Butter Tubs, fancy Bob. Dishes, Tea Strainers, Oil Dishes, Powder Boxes and Hair Receivers, Ink Stands, Ask Trays, Match Safes, Pin Boxes, etc.

Choice at \$1
Tea Caddies, Three-compartment Trays, Sugar and Creams, Footed Nut Bowls, Cracker Bowls, Tobacco Jars, Footed Compotes, Ink Stands, Dresser Sets, fancy Vases, Candle Sticks, Jelly Dishes, Fancy Plates, Covered Bon Bon Dishes, Whipped Cream Sets, Mayonnaise Sets, etc.

Choice at \$2
Dresser Trays, fancy Fern Dishes, Cake Plates, Salad Bowls, Dish Sets, Tea Sets, Five-piece Dresser Sets, Tobacco Jars, Fancy Compotes, Covered Bon Bon Dishes, large fancy Vases, Candy Trays, Marmalade Jars, Cementment Sets, Covered Muffin Dishes, Cracker Jars, Manicure Sets, etc.

Choice at \$3
Dresser Trays, fancy Fern Dishes, Cake Plates, Salad Bowls, Dish Sets, Tea Sets, Five-piece Dresser Sets, Tobacco Jars, Fancy Compotes, Covered Bon Bon Dishes, large fancy Vases, Candy Trays, Marmalade Jars, Cementment Sets, Covered Muffin Dishes, Cracker Jars, Manicure Sets, etc.

Choice at \$4
Dresser Trays, fancy Fern Dishes, Cake Plates, Salad Bowls, Dish Sets, Tea Sets, Five-piece Dresser Sets, Tobacco Jars, Fancy Compotes, Covered Bon Bon Dishes, large fancy Vases, Candy Trays, Marmalade Jars, Cementment Sets, Covered Muffin Dishes, Cracker Jars, Manicure Sets, etc.

Choice at \$5
Dresser Trays, fancy Fern Dishes, Cake Plates, Salad Bowls, Dish Sets, Tea Sets, Five-piece Dresser Sets, Tobacco Jars, Fancy Compotes, Covered Bon Bon Dishes, large fancy Vases, Candy Trays, Marmalade Jars, Cementment Sets, Covered Muffin Dishes, Cracker Jars, Manicure Sets, etc.

Choice at \$6
Dresser Trays, fancy Fern Dishes, Cake Plates, Salad Bowls, Dish Sets, Tea Sets, Five-piece Dresser Sets, Tobacco Jars, Fancy Compotes, Covered Bon Bon Dishes, large fancy Vases, Candy Trays, Marmalade Jars, Cementment Sets, Covered Muffin Dishes, Cracker Jars, Manicure Sets, etc.

Choice at \$7
Dresser Trays, fancy Fern Dishes, Cake Plates, Salad Bowls, Dish Sets, Tea Sets, Five-piece Dresser Sets, Tobacco Jars, Fancy Compotes, Covered Bon Bon Dishes, large fancy Vases, Candy Trays, Marmalade Jars, Cementment Sets, Covered Muffin Dishes, Cracker Jars, Manicure Sets, etc.

Choice at \$8
Dresser Trays, fancy Fern Dishes, Cake Plates, Salad Bowls, Dish Sets, Tea Sets, Five-piece Dresser Sets, Tobacco Jars, Fancy Compotes, Covered Bon Bon Dishes, large fancy Vases, Candy Trays, Marmalade Jars, Cementment Sets, Covered Muffin Dishes, Cracker Jars, Manicure Sets, etc.

Choice at \$9
Dresser Trays, fancy Fern Dishes, Cake Plates, Salad Bowls, Dish Sets, Tea Sets, Five-piece Dresser Sets, Tobacco Jars, Fancy Compotes, Covered Bon Bon Dishes, large fancy Vases, Candy Trays, Marmalade Jars, Cementment Sets, Covered Muffin Dishes, Cracker Jars, Manicure Sets, etc.

Choice at \$10
Dresser Trays, fancy Fern Dishes, Cake Plates, Salad Bowls, Dish Sets, Tea Sets, Five-piece Dresser Sets, Tobacco Jars, Fancy Compotes, Covered Bon Bon Dishes, large fancy Vases, Candy Trays, Marmalade Jars, Cementment Sets, Covered Muffin Dishes, Cracker Jars, Manicure Sets, etc.

Choice at \$11
Dresser Trays, fancy Fern Dishes, Cake Plates, Salad Bowls, Dish Sets, Tea Sets, Five-piece Dresser Sets, Tobacco Jars, Fancy Compotes, Covered Bon Bon Dishes, large fancy Vases, Candy Trays, Marmalade Jars, Cementment Sets, Covered Muffin Dishes, Cracker Jars, Manicure Sets, etc.

Choice at \$12
Dresser Trays, fancy Fern Dishes, Cake Plates, Salad Bowls, Dish Sets, Tea Sets, Five-piece Dresser Sets, Tobacco Jars, Fancy Compotes, Covered Bon Bon Dishes, large fancy Vases, Candy Trays, Marmalade Jars, Cementment Sets, Covered Muffin Dishes, Cracker Jars, Manicure Sets, etc.

Choice at \$13
Dresser Trays, fancy Fern Dishes, Cake Plates, Salad Bowls, Dish Sets, Tea Sets, Five-piece Dresser Sets, Tobacco Jars, Fancy Compotes, Covered Bon Bon Dishes, large fancy Vases

ADVERTISING PLAY YIELDS AN AMPLE DIVIDEND OF MIRTH

Soap and Psychology Keep
Audience Laughing in "It
Pays to Advertise."

By CARLOS F. HUND.
"It Pays to Advertise." That sounds very much like a plain statement of fact. But facts frequently furnish fun, and last night's audience at the Olympic Theatre thought this play was a scream—Or even, one might say, a snort.

"If cleanliness be next to godliness, Soap must be a means of grace." This line from Henry Ward Beecher thirty years ago, was deemed "some" advertising.

And was varied with quips about the unkempt person who "used your soap three years ago," And had not used any (other) since. Well, there has been progress in 30 years in advertising soap.

And the smooth publicity man of "It" Soap.

Was hep to all the new devices; He not only advertised soap, But he advertised advertising.

And it paid him.

Cyrus Martin, Soap Trust king, Was pretty much the Old Gorgon Graham type.

To make a producer of Son Rodney, He enlisted his pretty stenog, Who was to get the boy in love with her.

A task not exactly bristling with difficulties— And then to get him to work. He was willing to work.

In fact, the idea occurred to him spontaneously.

And Ambrose Peale, ad-man, Helped to fill in the yawning interstices Of his great thought.

Ambrose carried a line of plain and fancy hokum About advertising, and had a machine— gun rapidly.

In quoting statistics, which, the program assured us, "Are facts, not farce."

The Power of Suggestion, The Psychology of Print, Seemed just as real as the weekly payroll.

When Ambrose pulled them, But the main idea, after all, Was Son Rodney's. It was 76 buck Father's Soap Trust.

With a new line of goods Selling at \$1 a cake (and why not, When some people pay \$2 a seat For a moving picture show?)

And eventually to bring Father into the firm.

With a few of his paltry millions, Mary, the pretty stenog, Became secretary, and The advertising campaign opened.

When you are dealing with the law of supply and demand, You have to watch both ends.

Take the British, for instance; They built up a demand for shells, Without having a supply.

And they haven't heard the last of it yet.

Well, Ambrose the ad-man Knew how to create demand, But as to supply,

His ignorance was appalling.

And so, when the ads brought orders, There was no soap to ship.

Unless they could get it from Father. But Father wasn't born yesterday, Or even week before last.

And but for Mary, who first spilled the beans.

All over the place, Then gathered them up most artistically.

The great truth contained in the play's title Might not have got itself demagogized.

A French girl—oh, la, la— A "play" youth, a buyer, An enraged creditor.

And the customary servante, Helped to entertain.

But the four principals didn't require much assistance.

Edna Baker was the pretty stenog, William Holden and Richard Sterling Took the roles of father and son.

And John Butler was the ad-man, Roi Cooper Megrue and Walter Hackett Got up the comedy for George M. Cohan.

Who doesn't need to be told that "It Pays to Advertise."

"Passing Show of 1915" is Long, Broad and Not Too High.

"The Passing Show of 1915" the Winter Garden show—term which is used advisedly—delighted a typical Sunday night audience, at the Shubert Theatre last night, for more than three hours.

And length was not the only feature of the performance, for the "Passing Show" is just as broad as it is long.

Of course, one does not look to a Winter Garden show for refinement, or expect to see one of those performances bubbling over with polite repartee, so that there is nothing to disappoint in the piece in which Marilyn Miller, Eugene and Willy Howard and George Moore are the stars.

In the sudden wave of purity which has swept over some of the musical productions, and caused the producers to cover the limbs of the young women of the chorus with the tights which were discarded a season or so ago, other things have been neglected, and most of the coarseness in "The Passing Show of 1915" has been left to a man to supply. It is George Moore, in his familiar female impersonation, who oversteps the lines of broadness several times, and his disarming sense, in an act where he is one of the four wives of a Senator from Utah, is unparadoxically vulgar.

The two Howard brothers are funny at all times, and their burlesques of "Fritzy" and "Androcles and the Lion" are well worth seeing.

But the honors of the show fall to Marilyn Miller, a very youthful person, who dances her way through the performance in a most charming manner. Occasionally, too, she sings, but just as

soon as she starts to dance that is forgiven. "The Passing Show" is rather short on voices all the way through, and there are no very catchy songs to sing, but what the performance lacks in those lines it makes up for in humor and costumes and GIRLS.

GIRLS? There are scores of 'em and they change their costumes so rapidly and so often that there seems to be no end of the supply. Most of them are pretty, and most of the costumes are striking, and in order that the audience may have a closer view, the run-

way down the center of the theater is in use constantly.

There is not much of a plot to this Winter Garden show, but in a general way the story tells of Youth's flight from his First Love, and his flight at the gay world with Everywoman and her companions. Burlesques of other plays, and specialties without number, are introduced.

Alonso Price to Be New Director at Park Theater.

Alonso Price has been brought here from New York to succeed Charles Sin-

clair as director of The Players and the Park Opera Co. Sinclair has been ill at home for several days. Roger Gray, the comedian who is to be succeeded by Frank Moulton on Jan. 4, directed the production of "A Knight for a Day," the current bill at the Park Theater. Price has been one of the directors for Henry W. Savage.

Mme. Sembrich Has Attack of Flu.

NEW YORK, Dec. 6.—Mme. Marcella Sembrich, prima donna, who has been ill in her apartment at the Hotel Goth-

am the last five weeks, suffering from nervous breakdown and bronchitis, developed pleurisy yesterday.

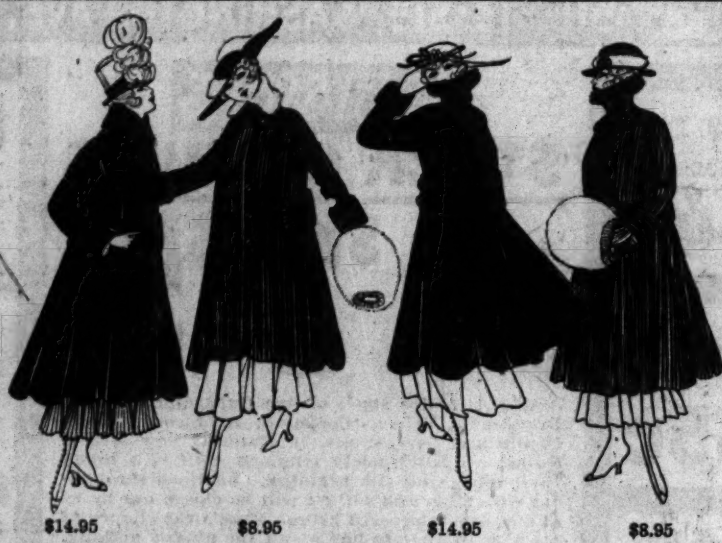
Distinguished Automobiles

Seven-passenger Packard cars exclusively; rates \$3 and \$4 per hour. Excelsior Auto Co., Belmont 208, Central 908.

Earth Shocks Felt in Italy.

ROME, Dec. 6.—Earth shocks were felt at 2 o'clock Sunday morning in Latium, at Foll, Frosinone, Genoa, Capri and Tivoli. There was neither loss of life nor damage of property.

Garland's LaVogue Pile Fabric Coats IN A SPECIAL TUESDAY SALE



at **\$8.95** and **\$14.95**

400 Plush and Corduroy Coats from our recent great surplus stock purchase reached us today and we're going to make Tuesday a special Corduroy and Plush Coat Day. The prices represent about one-half actual value.

Corduroy Coats, \$8.95
Stylish, practical Coats that are built on the latest belted and flare lines. Colors are brown, green, blue, gray and black. There are sizes for misses 14 to 20 and women up to 44 bust. At the same price are Coats of zibeline, plaids, chevrons and rough mixtures. Values up to \$15.95, choice, \$8.95.

Rich Plush Coats, \$14.95
Fur collars on many of these, others have wide self collars. Belted flare or straight models, lined throughout with guaranteed satin, and interlined for warmth. Sizes for every body up to 44 bust.

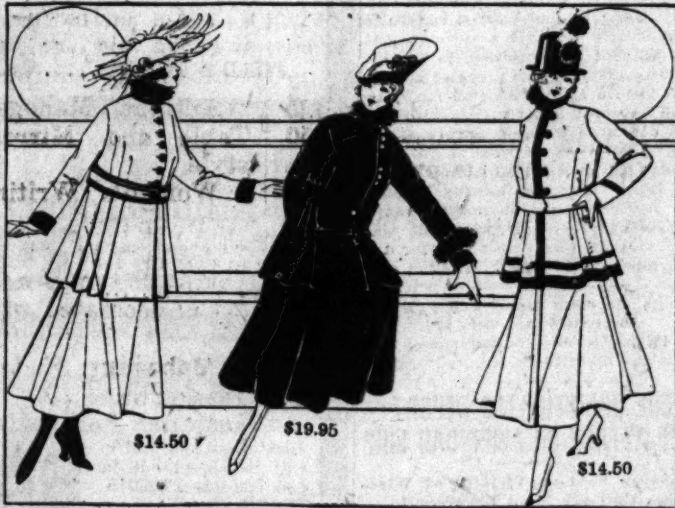
Fur-Trimmed Coats, \$5.89

Coats intended to sell for \$10 and \$12. Made of rough chevrons and wales. Belted models in the various lengths. Some without fur trimming. A good assortment of styles and colorings. All sizes.

**Fur-Trimmed
LaVogue Suits
\$9.98 and \$14.50**

Values to \$25.00

Fur-trimmed broadcloths, fur gabardines and serges, fur-trimmed poplins, light and dark mixtures. Coats in the new lengths, Russian effects, short Box Coats, with high fur collars. Colors are green, navy, wistaria and black and rich dark and medium mixtures. All sizes in each group, \$9.98 and \$14.50.



\$10 & \$12 Silk-Lined Suits for \$3.98

Only 97 of these. They won't last long at this price. Made of serges, wale chevrons and mixtures. Plain and semi-fancy styles. Some have velvet lapel collars. All sizes, in several good styles.

MAIL ORDERS FILLED THOMAS W. GARLAND—409-11-13 Broadway MAIL ORDERS FILLED

A NEW KATY TRAIN TO TEXAS



Five hours faster from St. Louis to Dallas and Fort Worth; seven hours quicker to San Antonio.

A new all steel train—finer and far faster than any heretofore in service to or from Texas.

The Texas Special

Lvs. St. Louis..... 6:30 p. m. Arr. Waco..... 3:05 p. m.
Arr. Dallas..... 12:40 p. m. Arr. Austin..... 5:45 p. m.
Arr. Fort Worth..... 1:00 p. m. Arr. San Antonio..... 8:30 p. m.

Now, a trio of fast Katy trains from St. Louis to Texas
The Texas Special The Katy Limited The Katy Express
For full information, address
Katy Ticket Office, 708 Olive St., St. Louis, Mo.



THE LINDELL STORE

IT PAYS TO PAY CASH
WASHINGTON AVE. & 6TH ST.

A Fine Array of Specials for

Surprise Day

Tuesday, December 7, 1915

EVERY TOMORROW IS BETTER THAN THE "NEXT DAY" to shop in—now. Crowds will grow thicker and thicker—but THE LINDELL SERVICE adapts itself quickly.

And It Should Be Your Favorite Store

Its wide aisles; its quick wrapping service; its instant attention to customers; its gift stocks laid out so convenient and easy of choosing—and finally, its CASH-TO-EVERYBODY SELLING—saves money on the merest trifle of a gift, as well as the \$1.00 pair of Gloves, a \$4.95 Umbrella or a \$50.00 set of Furs.

And by the way—that brings us to the point of saying:

THE LINDELL Is a Veritable Storehouse of the Good, the Useful, the Appreciated Gifts!



\$35 & \$40 Fur Sets

Gray Fox Sets—Red Fox Sets—
Pointed Manchurian Fox Sets—
Black Manchurian Fox Sets—
Hudson Seal Sets—Badger Sets—
Skunk Opossum Sets—
Natural Opossum Sets—

\$25

Thirty-eight sets in all—each in the latest style Muff and Scarfs. All new—Special for Tuesday! (Third Floor.)

\$2.25 Axminster Gift Rugs at \$1.29

Elegant assortment of Smith's perfect Axminster Rugs; size 37x14 inches. Oriental and floral designs; most acceptable gifts for any homekeeper. (Fourth Floor.)

\$1.25 Scrim Curtains, 69c

500 pair very attractive and well made, scrims and voiles, in white, ivory and Arab. Wide range of beautiful lace insertions and edgings. (Fourth Floor.)

25c Curtain Cretonnes, 19c

50 styles for your choice. Beautiful cretonnes, showing many stylish French and English designs. Desirable kinds for making fancy articles for Christmas. (Fourth Floor.)

98c Smoking Stand, 69c

Polished Brass Smoking Stand, extra heavy base, large ash tray with three cigar rests and match holder. (Main Floor.)

\$1.50 and \$1.75 Ivory Trays at 95c

Large Ivory Trays, extra heavy and fine grained, for comb, brush and mirror. 100 of them. (Main Floor.)

15c Dress Flannels, 11c

Superior quality, yard wide, in pretty neat patterns. All the wanted colorings. (Main Floor.)

24c Emb. Initial Pillowcases at 19c

A large assortment of embroidered hemstitched Pillowcases; some with your initials embroidered in solid Irish work. (Second Floor.)

Men's and Women's Initial 80c Boxed Handkerchiefs, 65c

Fine Irish linen initial Handkerchiefs; pretty openwork letter; box of six. (Main Floor.)

\$2.45 Silk Umbrellas, \$1.88

Choice of men's or women's pure silk or fine union silk taffeta. Black, green and navy. Every one rainproof. Large assortment of pretty handles. (Main Floor.)

Scalloped Round Tablecloths at 57c

100 of these beautiful marooned round Tablecloths; 58 in. in diameter; handsome circular patterns. (Main Floor.)

42 Women's \$10.00 Coats

Fine Winter-weight Coats for women—new models—and fine selection of new fancy mixtures. Good line of sizes—values \$10.00.

\$5.75

\$1 Ingersoll Watches, 67c

The well-known Ingersoll Watch, guaranteed to keep perfect time for one year from date of sale. (Main Floor.)

48c Initial Stationery, 38c

Large, fancy box, 24 sheets of paper and 24 correspondence cards, with beautiful die stamped initial. Also 24 envelopes. (Main Floor.)

50c Tinker Toys, 35c

Tinker Toys, the wonderful building toy for children. Interesting alike to the little fellows and grown-ups. (Basement.)

75c Outing Gowns, 58c

Women's Gowns of excellent quality white outing. Double yoke, front and back. V-shape neck and long sleeves. Cut extra full. All sizes. (Second Floor.)

3-Piece Bath Set, 50c

Set consisting of one large bath towel, one guest towel and one wash cloth. Nice quality of double thread Turkish Terry. Each set in box. (Main Floor.)

Women's 24c Hdkfs., 18c

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Ten gross Clark's O N T Crochet Cotton—all sizes—white only. Purchases limited to usual retail amount. (Second Floor.)

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TWO FIREMEN ARE INJURED

One Falls From Hose Reel, Other Steps on Piece of Glass.
*William Haas of Fire Engine Co. No. 11, and Thomas Shay of Engine Co. No. 17 were injured when responding to alarms last night. Haas was jolted from the back step of a hose reel as it swung into Leperance street from Third street in response to a false alarm from De Kalb and Leperance streets. His back was bruised.
Shay was fighting a fire in a dry goods store owned by Morris Gross, 2720 Franklin avenue, and berg, 2720 Franklin avenue, and berg, 2720 Franklin avenue. The building and stock were damaged \$1600.

Systematic Savers Succeed

St. Louis Union Bank, 4th and Locust.
Orthodox Rabbinical College Open.
NEW YORK, Dec. 6.—What is said to be the first orthodox rabbinical college in the United States was opened here yesterday. Its purpose is to "educate" rabbis in orthodox Judaism, who will be able to deliver sermons in English and thus appeal to the hearts of the younger generation.

YOAKUM CHARGES BAD FINANCING WRECKED FRISCO

Brief Filed at Jefferson City in Opposition to the Reorganization Plan.

By a Staff Correspondent of the Post-Dispatch.
JEFFERSON CITY, Dec. 6.—In a brief filed by his attorneys before the Public Service Commission today opposing the reorganization plan of the Frisco railroad, B. P. Yoakum charges that the misfortunes encountered by the road which resulted finally in the receivership were due entirely to the bad financing of Speyer & Co. and Seligman & Co., the two firms most prominent in the reorganization scheme and which have been named as the reorganization managers.

The brief declares that Yoakum built the property up and the New York financiers wrecked it.
The brief of the re-organizers also was filed today by Judge H. S. Priest, attorney for the receivers, and B. T. Swales, attorney for the New York financiers. It contends that an analysis of objections to the plan shows them to have been without merit. The question of whether the fixed capital of property would be increased or diminished by the re-organization plan is carried into the briefs.

Counsel for Yoakum show that the indebtedness against the Frisco property is increased by \$33,000,000. Counsel for the re-organizers explain that by relieving the C. & E. L., the N. O. T. & M. and the New Orleans Terminal, whose outstanding obligations aggregate \$21,000,000, the total is reduced by \$23,000,000. They maintain that these roads must still be carried as an obligation by the Frisco because their bonds are guaranteed by the Frisco.

"This property," says the Yoakum brief referring to the Frisco system, "is the creation of Benjamin P. Yoakum, a big strong man mentally and physically, born in Texas, not indeed to the Tyrian purple, but starting with nothing and making his way by his own efforts."

"Referring to the charge by Frederick Strauss made on the witness stand that Yoakum wanted to be made chairman of the board under the reorganization plan, the brief continues:
"Can it be wondered at that, after the misfortunes of this company, occurring while he was in control of its operations, but due solely to bad financing, first by Seligman and afterwards by Speyer, after he had worked faithfully and diligently for over two years, entirely without compensation, in the effort to rehabilitate this property and he should have had a not unnatural desire to be continued in some important capacity with an enterprise with which he has been so long and so closely identified. But, say some, untidly because these lesser matters do not determine the fate of great enterprises, he was the man that was responsible for the misfortunes of this road. It is not so."

Savings Deposits Made Today Draw Interest From Dec. 1.
Savings Insures Preparedness.
St. Louis Union Bank, 4th and Locust.

GREECE INVESTIGATES REPORT OF ATTACK ON AMERICAN SHIP

Destroyer Sent to Vicinity of Wireless Call for Help Received in Athens on Saturday.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 6.—Greece has officially informed the United States Government that a destroyer has been sent to investigate a wireless call picked up at Athens Saturday saying an American ship was being attacked by a submarine south of Crete. The name of the ship was not made out by the wireless receiver.
The American naval collector Caesar, mentioned in press dispatches as having been in the vicinity from which the call for help came, reported her safe arrival at Alexandria to the Navy Department last night.

The cruiser Des Moines, on her way to Cyprus, probably was near the scene, but navy officials attach no importance to the suggestion that she might have sent out the call.

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BIG GERMAN MUNITION PLANT SAID TO HAVE BEEN BLOWN UP

Hundreds Reported to Have Been Killed in Explosion at Halle, Saxony.

LONDON, Dec. 6.—Destruction of a large ammunition factory at Halle, Prussian Saxony, by an explosion, with the loss of several hundred lives, is reported in a message from Kolding, Denmark, to Copenhagen, forwarded by Reuter's correspondent.

It is said a similar disaster was narrowly averted at Bogden, Silesia. The ammunition factory there, it is reported, was saved by the discovery that it had been undermined.

According to this account, which has not been confirmed, arrests have been made at Bogden. It is asserted that discontented workmen are suspected in both instances.

Suburban Schedule Changes Announced on Missouri Pacific.
The Missouri Pacific has made the following changes in suburban train service between St. Louis and Kirkwood and between St. Louis and Creve Coeur: Sunday suburban trains leaving Kirkwood at 8:30 a. m. and St. Louis at 1 p. m. have been discontinued. Sunday train formerly leaving Creve Coeur Lake at 8:30 p. m. now leaves at 8:10 p. m., arriving in St. Louis at 8:30 p. m., instead of 7:10 p. m. Various changes in time made at intermediate points, details of which are shown in suburban time tables, which may be had at City Ticket Office, Union Station or suburban stations.

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WHITE DRESSES**
For girls only—also
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**ADDISON'S \$4.98 Silk
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The finest made—extra
wide skirts in all
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MIDDY BLOUSES**
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ored collar and cuffs
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will be closed out in
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all kinds of styles—
all sizes—FORD'S
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With accordin-pleat-
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Crepes de
Chine, Lace and Silk Waists**
Buy at least a half a
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white, gray, blue, green,
mauve, etc.—all beauti-
fully made and trimmed.
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**ADDISON'S \$12.98
Party and Evening Dresses**
Slightly mussed from
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store—beautiful lace,
silk, chiffon and quite a
few more—Dresses of
silk and satin.....
\$2.98

**ADDISON'S \$1.50, \$1.75
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Gowns, Chemises, Combi-
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other sorts.....
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SATENE PETTICOATS**
In striped or plain
colors—wider and
flouncier—all kinds
of styles—FORD'S
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**ADDISON'S CHILDREN'S
75c AND \$1 SLEEPERS**
Flannel Sleepers, Rompers,
etc.—in all colors—
made and neatly trimmed
—FORD'S PRICE.....
25c

**ADDISON'S FULL-LINED
CHILDREN'S COATS**
Today's theme with large
pearl button trimmings—
small size only—made of
navy blue—every mother
of a child should get one
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styles to select from—all
colors and figure effects—
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our store will open upon one of the greatest Suit Sales ever conducted by us. Value giving such as this would be remarkable at a season's end, but right now, at the height of the season it is a real achievement. With this special sale in view, our best manufacturers have co-operated with us for some weeks past. They have sent us a collection of Suits comprising this season's best styles and fabrics, many of them exact reproductions of models by Lanvin, Georgette, Jenny, Callot, Bernard and other renowned style creators. Every one of these Suits is superior in style, fit and workmanship and measure up to the standard set by us for garments bearing the Sonnenfeld label.

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EDISON OPENS AN ELECTRICAL SCHOOL FOR U. S. NAVAL MEN

ORANGE, N. J., Dec. 4.—An experimental school of electricity for the of-



You know some-
body who would
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tificate for a pair of
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ficers and men of the United States navy has been opened here by Thomas A. Edison, chairman of the naval advisory board, acting in co-operation with Secretary Daniels. The men of the submarine flotilla who have to do with complicated electrical equipment will receive their training first.

Fourteen officers and 30 men from Quincy, Mass., and the New York Navy Yard have just finished a week's course and the next contingent will come from Newport News.

Rem-ould Removed to 210 Olive St., Mailing lists, facsimile letters, addressing.

Reports a "Girl—21 Pounds." Patrolman John Fleming of 7711 Lamsdowne avenue did not appear "here" at roll call at the New York Navy Yard at 11 o'clock last night. When he appeared two hours later he was ordered to make a report. "Girl, 21 pounds," was his report.

CAUSE OF WRECK AT LENZBURG, ILL., NOT DETERMINED

Fast I. C. Train Crashes Into Local on Siding, One Killed, 29 Hurt.

Officials of the Illinois Central Railroad today were still unable to determine the cause of a wreck yesterday morning at Lenzburg, Ill., 15 miles south of St. Louis, when a fast southbound passenger train ran through a switch which was supposed to be closed, and crashed into a northbound local train which was waiting on a siding. Richard S. Hambleman of 407 Alexander place, East St. Louis, fireman on the engine of the fast train, was killed, the two engineers and one passenger were seriously injured, and 27 others suffered broken bones, cuts and bruises.

It was the duty of the porter of the local train to close the switch. The investigation of officials is directed toward learning whether the switch was carelessly left open, or whether it was defective.

The fast train departed from St. Louis at 7:30 a. m. It had orders to pass the local at Lenzburg, the local to be on a siding, leaving a clear track for the fast train.

E. H. Pope of 111 North Thirty-first street, East St. Louis, engineer of the fast train, slowed down to about twenty miles an hour for the passing. The local was on the siding, with the locomotive facing the approaching fast train. As Pope's engine approached the switch he saw that it was open, and attempted to stop the train. He was not able, however, to appreciably diminish its speed.

Run Through Open Switch. The fast train ran through the open switch onto the siding and into the engine of the local. The engines were wrecked, and almost all the coaches of both trains were thrown from the rails, some of them being crushed.

Engineer Pope jumped and suffered serious injuries. Hambleman, his fireman, was crushed to death in the engine cab.

Engineer Monroe Krawson of the local was seriously injured. He lives at 23 Alexander place, East St. Louis. His fireman, H. V. Hawk of East St. Louis, jumped and escaped injury.

Nearly all the passengers in the smoking car of the local train were injured. The coaches of the fast train were of steel and few of the passengers in them were seriously hurt.

Ambulances and physicians were summoned from Belleville, Lenzburg and New Athens. The injured were taken to East St. Louis and those needing hospital treatment were taken to St. Mary's Hospital.

The injured besides the two engineers are: Joseph Adugna, 1104 North Tenth street, East St. Louis, serious; William Glavin, Christopher, Ill.; Karna Glavin, Marianna, Ill.; Dwight Purdy, Coulterville, Ill.; W. O. Drueke, Murphysboro, Ill.; Joe Antrosiana, 1104 North Tenth street, East St. Louis; Mrs. Ella Dolores, Vergennes, Ill.; Mrs. Arthur Hayes, Raleigh, Ill.; Mr. and Mrs. George F. Rueg, 119 North North Compton avenue, St. Louis; Elizabeth Behner, Poplar Bluff, Mo.; T. M. Eckert, 416 Sigel avenue, St. Louis; Thomas G. Aitken, Tilden, Ill.; Louise Juerlich, Tilden, Ill.; Lillian Cook, 841 Lindell avenue, St. Louis; Mrs. J. E. Copeland, Marianna, Ill.; J. E. Woolard, Benton, Ill.; F. W. Griffith, Marietta, Ill.; Mrs. J. C. Manneval, Hebert street, St. Louis; Henry Partin, son, Coulterville, Ill.; Mrs. Fred Walter, Coffeen, Ill.; Peter Porvolicovich, Christopher, Ill.; Mrs. Mary Plimacher, Louisville, Ill.; P. V. Johnson, 1115 Monticello street, St. Louis; John Patrick, 209 Iowa avenue, St. Louis; Charles Hatch, East St. Louis, and Isaac Price, Christopher, Ill.

Free Xmas Cards at Your Grocer. With McKinney's Butter, Nut Bread, 10c wrapped loaf. Send them to your friends (no advertising on them).

ARKANSAS SENATOR DOESN'T SPEAK TO STONE OR REED

Both Missions Assailed President Pro Tem of Senate for Stand on Ship Purchase Bill.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 6.—Senator Clarke of Arkansas, president pro tem of the Senate, and Senator Stone of Missouri, the chairman of the Senate Committee on Foreign Relations, are not on speaking terms. Neither are Senator Clarke and Senator Reed of Missouri, nor Senator Clarke and Senator Shippard of Texas.

This state of things grows out of the contest over the ship purchase bill during the last Congress. Clarke, acting as president of the Senate, once told Senator Reed to take his seat and when the latter refused to obey, he was threatened with the sergeant-at-arms. Stone also made a bitter speech against Clarke and the latter quit speaking to him.

Stone, Haggard and Furness Repeal. A. G. Bruner Supply Co., 215 N. 3d St.

WOMAN SHOTS AND KILLS SELF

Mrs. Julia Collins, 44 years old, wife of Charles K. Collins, a salesman, shot and killed herself in her home at 617 Hamilton avenue, about 9 o'clock last night.

Mrs. Collins had suffered several years from a tumor and had feared to undergo an operation. She left a note to her husband, dated "Saturday, 4:30 p. m.," telling of her intention to take her own life.

Savings Deposits Made Today Draw Interest From Dec. 1.

Saving Insurance Preparedness.

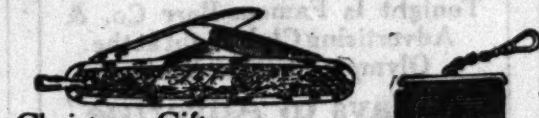
St. Louis Union Bank, 41 and Locust.

Steamer Wrecked; Crew of 48 Saved.

BRISTOL, France, Dec. 4.—The steamer Star of New Zealand went on Blouquet Rock, near Moka, yesterday during a fog and in a total wreck. Her crew of 48 men was saved.

Drosten's Removal Sale

5% to 50% Off



Christmas Gifts For "HIM"

No. 24—Engraved Pocket Knife, 14-K Gold; reduced from \$15.00 to \$16.75.
No. 1238—Bloodstone Ring, mounted in heavy fancy design; reduced from \$12.75 to \$9.50.
No. 1367—Gentleman's Ring, large square Amethyst, engraved mounting; reduced from \$12.75 to \$13.00.
No. 1569—Heavy 14-K Gold Watch Box; reduced from \$24.00 to \$20.00.
No. 1569—Cigar Cutter with Ruby and two Diamonds; reduced from \$21.00 to \$16.50.
No. 65—Fancy Design Scarf Pin with Sapphire and Diamond; reduced from \$10.50 to \$7.00.
No. 65—Cabochon Sapphire and Diamond Scarf Pin, Platinum mounting; reduced from \$17.00 to \$13.00.
No. 1123—Gentleman's Belt with Gold Buckle; reduced from \$10.50 to \$9.45.
No. 1103—Gentleman's Open face Watch, engine turned case, jeweled movement; reduced from \$13.50 to \$10.00.
No. 1466—Stone Cuff Buttons; reduced from \$10.00 to \$10.00.
No. 65—Gentleman's Belt with Gold Buckle; reduced from \$10.50 to \$9.45.
No. 1103—Gentleman's Open face Watch, engine turned case, jeweled movement; reduced from \$13.50 to \$10.00.
No. 1466—Stone Cuff Buttons; reduced from \$10.00 to \$10.00.

Visit Our Watch and Jewelry Repairing Dept.

Diamonds Locust at Seventh.

5% to 50% Off



Gifts for "HER"

No. 222—Sapphire and Diamond La Valliere, platinum mount—\$32.00. Lots of La Vallieres reduced to as low as \$4.
No. 112—Watch Bracelet, small size, 25-year case, 7-jewel movement; reduced from \$17.00 to \$12.75.
No. 102—Sapphire and Diamond Ring; reduced from \$15.00 to \$6.50.
No. 5423—Black enamel Bar Pin, fancy design with 11 small 2-Pearls; reduced from \$15 to \$25.00.
No. 1569—Heavy Loose-Link Bracelet, pierced design, 14-K gold; reduced from \$24.50 to \$23.00.
No. 228—Very fine Garnet and Pearl Bangles Bracelet; reduced from \$15 to \$36.00.
No. 1467—14-K Gold Barrette, engine turned; reduced from \$11.00 to \$11.00.
No. 5175—Amethyst and Pearl Bar Pin; reduced from \$15.50 to \$6.50.
Other Bar Pins as low as \$1.50.

Important!

You have no time to lose— if you want to be sure of having your Christmas Gift purchased at the lowest price possible, come to a wider selection before the many offerings are picked over.

Diamonds Locust at Seventh.

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12% LINEN 64c

10c CLARK'S MERCERIZED CROCHET 72c

LACE CURTAINS 52c

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50c SHOES 31c

UNDERWEAR 15c

MITTENS 5c

19c APRONS 5c

75c SHIRTS 25c

\$1 SLIPPERS 38c

KITCHEN TABLE 79c

HOUSE DRESS 25c

GET NEW KIDNEYS!

The kidneys are the most overworked organs of the human body and when they fail in their work of filtering and excreting all the poisons developed in the system, illness begins to follow.

One of the first warnings is pain or stiffness in the lower part of the back, or aching, indigestion, headache, or even dizziness in the morning. These symptoms indicate a clogged and inefficient kidney system, and that the kidneys are in need of a thorough cleansing.

You can cleanse your kidneys and get new kidneys by using the famous "Kidney Beans" which are sold everywhere.

These "Kidney Beans" are made of pure, natural ingredients and are the most effective and safe way to cleanse the kidneys and get new kidneys.

They are sold in every drug store, grocery store, and health food store. Buy them today and get new kidneys.

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JEWELRY AND SILVERWARE ENGRAVED FREE

DOUBLE SECURITY STAMPS TUESDAY WITH AN ENDLESS CHAIN OF PROFIT-SHARING BARGAINS

COATS, SUITS AND DRESSES

75c Shirting Prints 4c

39c Sateen silk Mercerized sateen 20c

10c Pure White Shaker Flannel 6c

50c Rosary Beads 25c

10-K Gold La Vallieres 95c

15c Holly Ribbon 10c

25c Wool Sox 15c

50c Automatic Shotguns 25c

32 Asbestos Pads 1.49

Boys' 30 O'Clocks 29c

1.00 Silk Messalines 88c

1.50 Bed Comforts 98c

30 High Chair 1.49

Entire Stock 1.49

44 China Dinner Sets 1.50

25c Bath Towels 17c

98c Scaloped Sheets 79c

40c Silk Poppins 29c

1.39 Broadcloth 1.09

35 SULKY 2.98

3 Laundry Stove 1.79

30 High Chair 1.49

Entire Stock 1.49

44 China Dinner Sets 1.50

25c Bath Towels 17c

98c Scaloped Sheets 79c

40c Silk Poppins 29c

1.39 Broadcloth 1.09

35 SULKY 2.98

3 Laundry Stove 1.79

ROUND STEAK 14c

RIB OR Pork Chops Cut from U. S. Insp. 15c Neck, 13c Prime Chuck Roast 13c

SHOULDERS 13c PORK SAUSAGE 12c

FLORIDA FANCY GRAPEFRUIT 17c

FANCY FLORIDA TANGERINES 15c

SWEET POTATOES 14c POTATOES 20c

FOREST PARK SHOE PEG CORN 10c PEAS 4 for 25c

SPINACH 9c BEANS 15c

CALIF. PEACHES 10c APRICOTS 14c

COUNTRY CLUB MARASCHINO LAYER CAKE 10c

PET OLEO 20c OLEO 23c

ROLLED OATS 3 lbs. 10c

PANCAKE FLOUR 9c

KARO BLUE 10c

COUNTRY CLUB CURRANT JELLY 12c

SALMON 3 for 25c

ARGO STARCH 6 for 19c

CLEANSER SPECIAL KIT 3 for 10c

Peroxide Soap 3 bars 10c

KROGER'S ROASTED COFFEES 2 lbs. 55c

French Brand 25c

COUNTRY CLUB COFFEE 40c

JEWEL COFFEE 3 lbs. 50c

CHOCOLATE 15c

COUNTRY CLUB CHILE CON CARNE 10c

COUNTRY CLUB KIDNEY BEANS 9c

COUNTRY CLUB BAKING POWDER 19c

KROGER'S 66 QUALITY STORES

THERE IS ONE IN YOUR NEIGHBORHOOD

Shop Early —It's the best way—the most satisfactory way—the humanitarian way. Only 16 more shopping days.

Gift Certificates —Load the way to most satisfactory gift-giving. Issued to any amount, redeemable in any section.

This Store Is a Great Treasure House for Christmas Shoppers



Double Eagle Stamps Tuesday

At Famous-Barr Co. "The True Christmas Store"

TOMORROW is the ideal time for doing the Christmas shopping—because it is **DOUBLE EAGLE STAMP DAY**. Thoughtful & shrewd buyers will be here in full force Tuesday to make extra earning in these double dividends that cash buyers earn on their purchases. Aside from the extra bonus, the unexcelled store service, the broad stocks & the rare values are further reason for concentrating the shopping at this great store.

\$7.50 Damask Sets, \$5

These are of finest satin damask, many in round designs, all are neatly packed in box.

In the lot are:
11 sets with Cloths 2½ yards long & ½ dozen large Napkins.
8 sets with Cloths 2½ yards long & ½ dozen large Napkins.
20 sets with Cloths 3 yards long & ½ dozen large Napkins. **Fifth Floor**

Men's Handsome Silk Shirts

Excess \$5 Values at \$5

These are beautifully tailored Shirts of handsome quality pussy willow & McGill's crepe. The patterns are the very newest and will meet instant approval. **Main Floor, Aisle 10**

Tonight Is Famous-Barr Co. & Advertising Club Night at the Olympic Theater, Where "It Pays to Advertise"

will be played—a portion of the proceeds to be devoted to the fund for securing the Political Conventions here next year.

Come With Us

Women's \$5.95 Corduroy Velvet Lounging Robes,

\$4.19

Lounging Robes, lined with China silk, in pink, light blue, old rose, tan, gray, Copenhagen, dark red, with large collar.

Women's \$3.98 Envelope Chemise, \$2.95

Crepe de chine also combination of corset cover & drawers.

Women's \$1.25 & \$1.49 Combinations, 95c

Nainsook Combinations, lace & embroidery trimmed of corset cover & drawers, also nainsook Envelope Chemise, lace & medallion trimmed.

Women's \$1.98 Corset Covers at \$1.59

Satin & crepe de chine Corset Covers, handsomely lace trimmed. **Third Floor**

The Popularity of Diamonds as Gifts Is Shown Today in This Sale of Diamond Jewelry

It would seem that everyone is giving Diamond Gifts, so wide is the attention given this event—so wonderful the values.

There are Rings, Scarf Pins, Brooches, Bar Pins, Links, La Vallieres, Bracelets of solid gold & platinum. Every stone is brilliantly cut & the sale prices often little more than the cost of setting, while most every article is below ordinary wholesale cost.

A convenient payment plan can be arranged with our Credit Department if desired.

Solid Gold La Vallieres, \$2.69

50 pendant designs, each set with genuine cut diamonds; 16-inch soldered link neck chains with patent catch.

Solitaire Diamond Rings, \$17.50

Brilliantly cut solitaire Diamond Rings, in newest style, 14-kt. gold settings, averaging 10-100 carat.

Platinum La Vallieres, \$12.75

Platinum Neck Chains and fancy or onyx & platinum pendants, each with solitaire setting.

Solid Gold Festoon Necklaces, \$15.75

Fancy or onyx combination settings, each with five brilliantly cut diamonds.

\$12.50 to \$15 Cuff Links, \$7.95

Solid gold Link Cuff Buttons, in plain or beaded settings with solitaire diamonds, set in plain or star design.

Solid Gold Scarf Pins, \$2.99 & \$3.75

A hundred beautiful designs, in enamel & fancy settings, animals' heads, etc., each with a brilliantly cut diamond.

Solid Gold Festoon Necklaces, \$29.75

Set with 5, 7, 9 & 11 brilliantly cut diamonds, values to \$45.

\$15 to \$17.50 Solitaire Diamond Rings, \$10

Solid gold Belcher settings for men or skeleton settings for women, weighing 14-18 to 18-180 carat; others set with platinum combination onyx & pearls.

Festoon Necklaces, \$10

Solid gold, with three diamonds, in Merry Widow or fancy settings.

Diamond Bar Pins

Lace effect, platinum, 17 diamonds, 1.11 carat, \$100.

Lace effect, platinum, 19 diamonds, .75 carat, \$75.

Lace effect, platinum, 17 diamonds, 2 sapphires, .60 carat, \$60.

Platinum & gold, 19 diamonds, .45 carat, \$60.75.

Platinum La Vallieres

Exquisite lace-drop effect & platinum chains.

Pendants of 5 diamonds, weight .60 carat, \$75.00.

Pendants of 5 diamonds, weight 1.00 carat, \$97.50.

Solid Gold Festoon Necklaces, \$49.75

Some with 4 diamonds, weighing about .60, others with 14 diamonds. Many other items in earrings, Scarf Pins, Cuff Links, etc., of gold or platinum, impractical to list here.

Dinner & Cluster Rings

Princess, platinum & gold, 24 diamonds, \$25.50.

Dinner, platinum, 22 diamonds, weight .97, \$18.

Dinner, platinum, 13 diamonds, 4 sapphires, .24, \$24.75.

Dinner, platinum, 17 diamonds, 2 sapphires, .24, \$27.50.

Dinner, platinum, 21 diamonds, weight .54, \$27.50.



Genuine Italian Marble, 1-2 Price

What richer gift than these hand-carved Italian marble pieces—what more satisfying or lasting remembrance for the home.

These Marble Pieces come from a New York importer whose entire sample collection of 425 pieces we secured at ½ less than regular. Every piece is perfectly hand carved; being sample pieces there is but one of a kind, though all are desirable subjects.

\$5.75 pieces	\$2.58	\$31.00 pieces	\$15.50
\$7.00 pieces	\$3.50	\$48.00 pieces	\$24.00
\$9.00 pieces	\$4.50	\$75.00 pieces	\$37.50
\$15.00 pieces	\$7.50	\$100 pieces	\$50.00
\$20.75 pieces	\$10.38	\$125 pieces	\$62.50

The reduction will be made at the time of purchase, each piece is marked at the price it would have been sold if purchased under normal conditions. All sales are final, no exchanges or refunds. **Fifth Floor**



Let It Be an Angelus Christmas

The player piano that a child can play as a master musician.

The player that has won its way to hundreds of St. Louis homes upon its merit. We are exclusive distributors in St. Louis. **Sixth Floor**

Many a Handsome Gift Will Be Advantageously Chosen From This Unrivalled Lot of Rich,



Genuine Eastern Mink Sets
Cross Fox Sets.....
Red Fox Sets.....
Black Fox Sets.....
Blue Fox Sets.....
White Fox Sets.....
Pointed Fox Sets.....
Taupe Fox Sets.....
Baum Marten Fox Sets.....
Nat. Lynx Sets.....
German Fitch Sets.....

\$75

Furs are the regal gifts—good Furs. Here are Furs that have been chosen for their goodness, their style & their perfect making. Here are Furs that any woman will be proud to own. Every piece & every garment sold with the F.B. Co. warranty of satisfaction.

Red Fox Sets, Natural Raccoon Sets.
Black Wolf Sets, Civet Coat Sets.....
Blue Wolf Sets, Kitten Coney Sets.....
Natural Wolf and Nat. Lynx Sets.....
Persian Paw Sets.....
French Coney Sets.....
Just 125 sets in lot.

\$15

Black Lynx Sets.
Black Fox Sets.....
Red Fox Sets.....
Jap Mink Sets.....
Near Seal and Fitch Sets.....
Natural Raccoon Sets.....
River Mink Sets.....
Only 86 sets to offer.

\$25

Genuine Mink Sets.....
Black Fox Sets.....
Cross Jap Fox Sets.....
Red Fox Sets.....
Chinchilla Squirrel Sets.....
Kolinsky Sable Sets.....
Black Lynx Sets.....
Skunk Marten Sets.....
Fischer Raccoon Sets.....

\$37.50

Taupe Fox Sets.....
Red Fox Sets.....
Genuine Mink Sets.....
Black Fox Sets.....
Natural Fischer Sets.....
Kolinsky Sable Sets.....
Hudson Seal Sets.....

\$50

Rare Values in Fur Coats

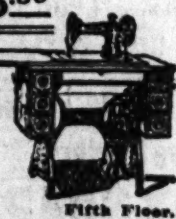
40-inch Near-seal Coats at \$45.
45-inch Hudson Seal Coats at \$65.
Hudson Seal, with skunk collar, turn-back cuffs, \$95.
Hudson Seal Coat with skunk marten collar, cuffs & border, \$165.
Hudson Seal Coat, 40 inches long, golden beaver collar, beautifully lined & finished, at \$175.
Hudson Seal Coat, 45 inches long, golden beaver collar, cuffs & border, full sweep, at \$225.
Persian Lamb Coat, 45 inches long, skunk-marten collar, \$185.

Caracul Coat, 40 inches long, excellent quality soft skins, \$190.
Hudson Seal Jacket, 26 inches long, box style, golden beaver collar & border, \$185.
Natural Marmot Coat, 40 inches long, excellent for motorcars, \$95.
River Mink Coat, 45 inches long, deep collar & turn-back cuffs, Skinner satin lined, at \$50.
1 only Golden Beaver Coat of extra quality, 45 inches, very full sweep, \$212.50.
Alaska Seal Coats, 40 inches long, extra fine XXX quality skins, \$275.

Third Floor

\$50 Singer Sewing Machines, \$33.50

Highly polished, handsomely finished; also the Wheeler & Wilson, strictly new, \$33.50.
\$45 New Home Sewing Machines, latest model, drop front, golden or fumed oak, special, \$27.50.
\$45 New White Rotary Machines, latest model, \$28.50.
\$45 New White Rotary Cabinet, latest improved, \$40.
\$30 Sewing Machines, new side tension, best make, \$20.
\$20 Sewing Machines, drophead, light running, \$15.
\$15 Sewing Machines, drophead, golden oak stand, \$12.50.
All machines sold on our club plan, small deposit down, then \$1.00 per week. **Fifth Floor**



\$27.50 Kitchen Cabinets, \$21.95

Seller's Sanitary Kitchen Cabinets, with porcelain iron top & complete set of glassware; special, \$21.95.

Other Cabinets up to \$36.50. A complete line of 2 & 3 piece Carving Sets, all styles & sizes, \$50 to \$18.95.

95c 7-piece Coaster Sets, nickel-plated rim, various designs, \$1.

We carry a complete line of Universal Percolators, all styles & sizes, \$2.25 to \$6.
Smoking Stands, in all the new styles & finishes, & large line of Brass Smoker Supplies, \$1 to \$15.95.

Quick Meal Gas Ranges, blue enameled, square & cabinet style. Connections made free, \$59.40 to \$59.35.

Smoked Bamboo Baskets, Sewing, Baby, Jardiniere & Waste Baskets; also Sweet Grace & Decorated Baskets, in every imaginable sort, also Fancy Sewing Stand Baskets, 10c to \$10.95. **Basement Gallery**

\$25 Electric Cleaners & Sweepers, Special, \$17.50

A royal gift for housekeepers. Of highly polished aluminum & nickel plated, operated at a cost of one cent per hour; a substantial cast aluminum fan attached to the end of shaft produces the powerful suction—which removes every particle of dust & dirt from your rug or carpet.

The "Minerva" is complete in every detail, equal in every way to high priced cleaners.

\$6.00 Duntley 1915 model Pneumatic Carpet Cleaner & Sweeper, mahogany finish, nickel trimmed & metal front, \$3.75.

\$5 Duntley No. 2 Sanitary Cleaners, combined with suction attachment, highly polished frame, nickel trimmed, \$2.25.
\$2.50 Duntley Sanitary Carpet Sweepers & Cleaners, \$1.25. **Fourth Floor**

The Advantages Are Significant to Men of Keen Perception in Buying These

Suits & Overcoats

\$9.75, \$12.50, \$17.50, \$20 & \$25

Which came in the important purchases from A. B. Kirschbaum Co., Phila., & Strouse & Bro., Baltimore. A right wonderful lot it is, augmenting as it does our regular stocks & making the selection unprecedented. Every new & authentic model in the Winter Suits & every weight of Overcoat, is shown in the most popular fabrics, in wanted patterns & colors.

Smoking Jackets—the Gifts for Men

They are highly practical & sensible. They are the one gift with which the men will come in daily contact for months & they will bring comfort & pleasure to men as no other thing will.

Splendid two-tone fancy back garments at \$3.95.
Others at \$4.75.
Still other Coats at from \$6.75, \$9.75 to \$11.50. **Second Floor**



Santa Claus Is Here With His World of Toys



He's holding OPEN HOUSE for all little girls & boys & has a pretty souvenir for each one that visits him in his headquarters.

There's almost unending range of selection in the wonderful works of toys from foreign lands & our own to delight the hearts of the little ones.

Boys' and Girls' Sleds, all kinds, 50c to \$5.50.
Boys' Wagons, some wood bodies, others steel, 50c to \$14.50.
Pool Tables, with balls & cues, slate bottom, \$10 to \$20.
Boys' Velocipedes, all sizes, rubber tires, \$2.50 to \$15.
Girls' Doll Cabs, English & road style, \$1.45 to \$4.50.
Dolls & Dolls & Chair Sets, \$1.50 to \$11.50.
Boys' Work Benches, complete set of tools, \$2.50 to \$9.50.
Shoe-fly Rocking Horses, rocker & swinging, 50c to \$3.50.
Hobby Horses, rocker & swinging style, \$2.50 to \$25.50.
Auto, strongly made, with rubber tires, \$1.50 to \$25.
Hand Cars, all sizes, with rubber tires, \$2.50 to \$7.50.

Doll Beds, wire, wood & brass, all sizes, 50c to \$7.50.
Combination Game Boards, 75c to \$5.75.
Blackboards, wall & easel style, 50c to \$15.
Girls' Pianos, Schoenher brand, 50c to \$10.

Iron Electric Train, on track, \$2.50 to \$5.
Character Baby Dolls, all sizes, 50c to \$2.50.
Jointed Dolls, all sizes, 50c to \$10.50.
Teddy Bears, with voices, 50c to \$2.50. **Basement Grocery Store**

Famous-Barr Co.
ENTIRE BLOCK, OLIVE, LOCUST, SIXTH AND SEVENTH STS.
Largest Distributors of Merchandise at Retail in Missouri & the West.
We Give Eagle Stamps & Redeem Full Books for 25 Cents or \$2.50 in Merchandise—For Restricted Articles Excepted.

WARS, FLOODS, PANICS
and upheavals may come and go—but St.
Louis Real Estate goes on forever.
Own a HOME.

1000 HOME and REAL ESTATE offers in the
BIG SUNDAY POST-DISPATCH Real Estate
and Want Directory every Sunday!

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ST. LOUIS, MONDAY EVENING, DECEMBER 6, 1915. -PART TWO.

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Will the BRIGHTER BUSINESS
OUTLOOK Affect REAL ESTATE?
Surely. Buy Your HOME NOW!

\$23,514 House, Home, Real Estate and Farm Ads
were printed in the Post-Dispatch during the
first 16 months of 1915. \$1,123 more than appeared
in the two nearest competitors combined.

SETON RESIGNS AS CHIEF OF THE BOY SCOUTS OF AMERICA

Organizer of Movement in This Country
Objects to Its Drift Toward
Militarism.

NEW YORK, Dec. 6.—Ernest Thompson Seton, naturalist and writer of books
on nature, has announced his resignation
as chief scout of the Boy Scouts of
America. In a statement Seton said
he resigned because of a gradual change

to policies to which he is opposed and
for which he blames James E. West of
this city, the present chief scout execu-
tive.

Militarism now comes first and wood-
craft, the original purpose of the move-
ment, second, according to Seton, who
announced the formation of a "Wood-
crafts League," inviting members of the
Boy Scouts to join it.

Seton said that he severed his connection
with the movement last spring, but
deferred announcement until the execu-
tive board should have an opportunity to

act on the resignation, a step which, he
said, had not been taken.
The fact that Thompson is an Eng-
lishman is said to have entered into
his resignation. He has first natural-
ization papers in America and said he
intended to take out the final papers
at the close of the European war.

Savings Deposits Made Today Draw
Interest From Dec. 1.
Savings Insures Preparedness.
St. Louis Union Bank, 4th and Locust.

18,000 CHRISTMAS FUND LISTS WILL GO OUT TONIGHT

Contributions to Post-Dispatch
Festival Can Be Made in
Business Houses.

20,000 TO GET GIFTS
Many New Requests to Dress
Dolls to Be Given to
Children.

Won't You Dress A Doll for Girl's Christmas Gift?

WON'T you dress one or more
dolls to aid the Post-Dis-
patch Christmas Festival
Association in making little girls
happy Christmas day?

There are thousands of these
pretty dolls, 18 inches long, with
blonde heads, brown or blonde
hair, and eyes that open and close.
For the five best dressed dolls—
taste alone to be the test of merit
—prizes of \$5 in gold will be given
by the Post-Dispatch.

If you will dress one or more of
the dolls, write your name and ad-
dress on the appended blank and
send it to the DOLL DEPART-
MENT, POST-DISPATCH.
Officers of organizations may ob-
tain a number of dolls for their
members to dress.

Name.....
Address.....

CONTRIBUTIONS.
Previously acknowledged ..\$516 25
C. S. Kennerly ..10 00
Edward Devey ..10 00
Total ..\$536 25

SUBSCRIPTIONS lists for the fund
to carry good cheer to thousands
of homes and hearts on Christmas
day, through the Post-Dispatch Christ-
mas Festival Association, will go out
tonight. Before the end of the week the
larger business establishments of St.
Louis will be supplied with blanks, as
about 18,000 will be distributed.

The blank subscription forms being
sent out and voluntary contributions
forwarded to the Post-Dispatch consti-
tute the only methods of solicitation ap-
proved by the Post-Dispatch Festival
Association. There will be no collec-
tors, except when a representative of
the Post-Dispatch may be requested to
come for money which it is not conven-
ient for the contributor to send.

Those to whom lists are furnished
may return them by mail, accompanied
by check to cover the subscription; by
messenger, or by an authorized mes-
senger from the Post-Dispatch. Any
one may send subscriptions direct to the
Post-Dispatch. In every instance con-
tributions will be acknowledged in these
columns, whether they be of 5 cents
or several dollars.

The Post-Dispatch pays the expense
attaching to administration of the Festi-
val fund, so that not one penny com-
ing from the public falls to reach the
cause for which it is designed, that of
making someone to whom fortune has
not been generous happy on Christmas
day. Something like 20,000 boys, girls,
men and women, will be made glad
through gifts of dolls, toys, headgear,
materials for family dinners and din-
ners served. The latter will be for
homeless men in the city.

Committee Meets Tomorrow.
The executive committee of the Festi-
val Association will hold its second
meeting of the season tomorrow at 12:15
p. m. in the City Club, when the plans
for the event will be rounded out. The
main details have already been ar-
ranged and committeemen are devoting
themselves actively and with enthusiasm
to the tasks assigned to them. The
meetings are given over to discussion
of the work as a whole and the ex-
change of ideas on the various branches
with the view of effecting a degree of
smoothness.

The McKinley High School has re-
quested the privilege of dressing 25 dolls.
The work to be done by its school of
domestic economy. This is the first
application of the public schools to reach
the Post-Dispatch and should there be
others desiring to participate in spread-
ing Christmas season happiness, it is
suggested that the fact be made known
at once, as the supply of dolls to be
distributed is limited.

Miss F. M. Bailey of 1106 1/2 Montgom-
ery street, requesting four dolls to pre-
pare for distribution among the young
girl guests of the Festival Association,
wrote: "We have a small sewing circle
of nine girls, and would like very much
to give our add in dressing some dolls
for these poor little girls."

"I would like to make every child in
the city happy on Christmas to think
that Santa Claus had not forgotten
them," is the basis of a request by Mrs.
E. F. M. for two dolls to dress.

Get to Dress 4 Dolls.
Olivia Wundersch of 201 Morgan street
made known her readiness and desire
to dress four dolls, adding: "I am a
little girl, only 10 years old, and I would
like to make the children all happy. I
may get one of them myself, and would
be so glad."
"I am a widow and have little ones of
my own, but I want to do something for

some other little fellows," is the senti-
ment inspiring Mrs. J. Gibson of 3202

BRIGHTER CHILDREN
Children are brighter to-day than
a generation ago—but are they
stronger? That's a grave question.
So many pinched faces, dulled eyes
and languid feelings make us wonder
if they will ever grow into robust,
healthy men and women.

If your children catch colds, are
tired when rising, lack healthy color,
or find studies difficult, give them
Scott's Emulsion to enrich their
blood and restore the body forces
to healthy action.

Scott's Emulsion is used in
private schools. It is not a "patent
medicine," simply a concentrated food-
tonic, free from alcohol to improve
the blood, benefit the lungs and
strengthen the system. Your druggist
has it—always refuse substitutes.

Scott & Bown, Bloomfield, N. J. U.S.

Olive street in requesting four or five
dolls to costume.

C. O. Wilson of 437 Botanical avenue
asks for four dolls to dress, adding: "At
this yuletide my thoughts revert to
my life was the dressing of dolls for a
"wee girls" of mine, who is now a
mother and lives in a far Western city."

Virginia Johnson of 2472 Grace avenue
writes: "I am only 8 years old, but I am
willing to try to do my best, so send me
the dolls, the sooner the better."

Dolls are now going out in large num-
bers, on orders for them mailed by the
Post-Dispatch, designed to enable those
who wish them in advance of the regu-
lar delivery to call or send and get
them. Deliveries will be made by the
Post-Dispatch on Dec. 12.

18,971,897 Saw Exposition,
SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 6.—The total
attendance of the Panama-Pacific Expo-
sition, which closed Saturday, was 18-
971,897, according to an official announce-
ment. The final day held the record
for admissions, 46,828 persons having
passed through the turnstiles.

John BOLLAND JEWELRY Company 513 Locust Street

Extends a cordial invitation to call and inspect their in-
describably beautiful Xmas display of the latest creations in the
jeweler's and silversmith's art. The following corps of
efficient and experienced salesmen are at your service:

Wm. A. Boehm Clarence D. Henry Aubrey C. Lindaley
Adolph Brunner Harry M. Kays Chas. H. Lyle
John N. Hagen Oscar F. Kay Chas. A. Waugh

The Sunday Post-Dispatch has over ONE-HALF MILLION
more readers than any other newspaper west of the Mississippi.
"First in Everything."

Where do you hide it?

That savings account book or that certificate of deposit.
Where do you keep those papers that you don't want any-
body else to see—those valuables, **WHATEVER** they are,
that you are afraid to carry around with you for fear of loss
and that you're worrying about constantly wherever they
are hidden?

Unless you've a safe deposit box, you have
SOMETHING hidden somewhere that you have to
take out of its hiding place every once in a while
just to make sure it is still safe.

What would you feel like if some day you looked for
it and it wasn't there—or if while you were at work
or out of the house there should be a fire where
you live?

Either of these things is liable to happen to **YOU**
any time.

There is no security for anything that thieves can
steal or that fire can burn except in a safe deposit
box.

If you want perfect safety for your valuables and
an easy mind about them, no matter what may
happen to you or your house.

Rent a Safe Deposit Box to hide them in

Go to any of the big down town trust companies
or banks with safe deposit departments and ask
them to show you how safe their vaults are from
thieves, fire, wind, or accident of any kind. They
will be glad to show you through and explain
everything to you.

You keep the key—there's not another one like it.
No one else can open the steel door to the steel
vault that contains your box. After you've opened
this door, you take your box out and go into a
private room, whose door you lock. No one else
can get in or look in. You are safe and private.
When you get through, you take the box back to
its vault and lock it in again.

Steel walls, steel bolts and bars, a big corps of
attendants, watchmen, time locks and electric
burglar alarms are protecting your valuables
twenty-four hours out of every twenty-four. And
in addition to all this—they're **DOWN TOWN** where
fire and police protection are perfect.

Rent Your Box today

and never again worry about the safety of your
valuables.

25 a year and up.

—and every claim is based on what thousands of doctors have written

The claims for Sanatogen are based, not on what
we might like to say of it—not on the findings of a few in-
vestigators seeking to make a good case for Sanatogen—
but on the facts that have been found and recorded
by over 21,000 physicians during the eighteen years that
Sanatogen has been used as a strength-giving food-tonic.

One doctor, or even twenty doctors, might make a
mistake in saying that Sanatogen does this or that
—but when twenty-one thousand, *over their own
signatures*, state their confidence in Sanatogen, there
surely can be no chance of a mistake. Thus, when
physicians by the thousands re-
cord their observations of Sanatogen's beneficial effects—how
it builds up the blood, helps diges-
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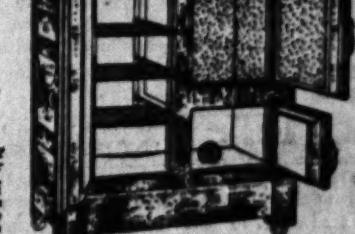
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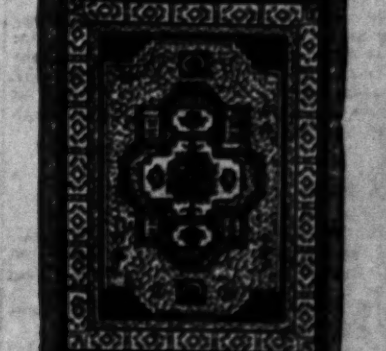
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The Biter Bit

A story wherein a crafty goldmine promoter is tricked by one of his own dupes.

By Roy Angus Howells.

"I can't be done now, any more," spoke Farmer Darlow positively. "I'm too poor, son—too poor."

"Why, dad, you've talked of bumper crops all summer, and now they're here," expostulated the son, Ike. "The crops don't make up for the \$2000 I lost in that investment in the city, remind me the old man. Tell you, son, that was a fierce blow. All ready cash, too, and it was like throwing money in the fire."

"You know you promised to give me the \$2000 and build me a house when Sally was ready."

"That's true, son, but circumstances alter cases. You'll have to wait till I can make up that lost money. You have patience and wait another season or two."

"A season or two?" echoed Ike, in profound despair. "Why, by that time Sally will be off with some other fellow, and I wouldn't blame her if she did!"

He stroked off, doleful and dispirited. He was crude and lowly, but he knew what it was to love, and he and Sally Marvin had planned ever since their engagement in June to get married before the end of the year. Ike had run to expect a promised reward for staying on the farm. The 40-acre lot and a four-room house had been promised as a wedding gift. Now—

"It was dad's own fault, putting that \$2000 in that gold mine swindle," echoed Ike. "The company has gone to smash, the mine worthless and abandoned, and I'm out \$2000 of my own money looking up the chance of getting something out of it. There's nothing to hope for, but I got some information. How I'd like to get a comeback chance at Ike's old trick promoter, Vanderbilt K. Cash. Say, I've got an idea."

Ike sees a way out.

WITH the swiftness and surety of a revelation Ike fixed his mind upon a powerful suggestion that had come to him. As has been said, when he had looked up the mining company in his father's behalf, but at his own expense, he had plumbed the total depths of that plausible fraud. He had not visited its promoter, Mr. V. K. Cash, but had temporarily "retired from business." A day or two since, however, he had read an advertisement in a city newspaper connecting the energetic promoter with a new and apocryphal "back-selling" exploitation. Ike chewed it ruminatively for about 10 minutes. Then he sought out his father in the turnip field.

"Dad," he observed, "I think I see a way out of my difficulties."

"You've got no real ones," growled the old man. "Being done out of \$2000 is a difficulty. Getting married is another—why run questions to ask you, remarked Ike, holding to his theme. "If I get that money back you invested in 'Bure thing. Get it back? Why that's nonsense!"

"Next, you spare me for a few days? I want to go to the city."

"After that money?"

"Yes, dad."

"You're wasting your time."

"That's all right—I'll be the loser."

Now Ike was no dill-dancer and love sharpened his wits. He drew all his savings from the bank and started on his mission. There was one thing in his favor: He had probed the progress and complication of the mine proposition to the bottom. He was very sure of his ground. It was keen enjoyment, the hope that he might "bite the biter" and "put one over" the sleek confident promoter who had coaxed all those good hard dollars away from his gullible sire.

Ike Finds His Victim.

KE found his prospective victim seated in luxuriously furnished office listed as president of a "War Order Exportation company." He was prepared to introduce himself as Mr. Henry Ives. He assumed a brisk autocratic business air.

"I've been directed to you, Mr. Cash," he said, "as a person who can probably assist me in buying some stock of the Columbia Gold Mining Co."

"What?" exploded the promoter, almost jumping out of his chair. "Why, the company has gone out of business!"

"I know all about that," quietly answered Ike. "For a reason of my own, however, I want to buy some of the old stock. Have you any to offer?"

V. K. Cash was puzzled, astonished. He had "landed a good many suckers" in his time, but one seeking worthless securities with good money was a rarity. His scheming wits at fault, he scanned Ike keenly.

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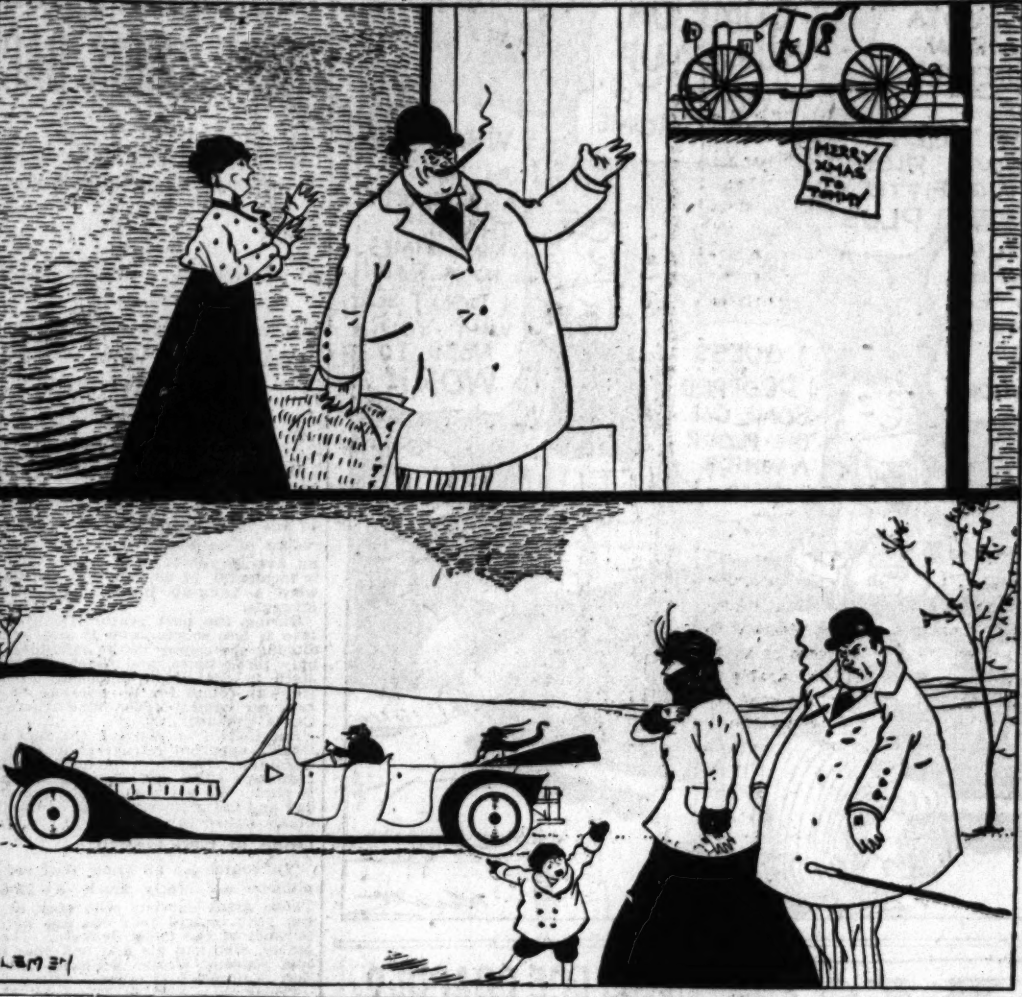
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Supply and Demand



George and the Attic Brownie

Sandman story of the boy who learned to be more willing and more helpful to his mother.

By Mrs. F. A. Walker.

IT was raining very hard and it was Saturday, too, so George did not feel very pleasant when he came down to breakfast.

"I think we will have to eat a picnic lunch," said George's mother. "I have so much to do I wish you would amuse baby after he has had his nap."

George, that will give me time to get the house in order and the cooking done before father comes home to dinner."

But George did not care about being a nursemaid, as he called it, and instead of answering his mother in a cheerful manner he looked very cross and kept on eating his breakfast without making any reply.

He could not go out, that was certain, for the rain came down thick and fast, and there was no place he could go in the house that his mother could not ask him to help her. Yes, there was. George got up from his chair when he thought of it, and softly slipped up the back stairs with a book under his arm.

It was the attic, where there was a storeroom. If he closed the door he could not hear her call him, and if he did not hear her call he could not be blamed if he did not help. How was he to know when baby awoke?

HOW long he read he did not know, but suddenly from somewhere near him he heard a muffled cry. "You can't hear your mother's call, can you?" And the baby will cry and you won't know it. You are a fine fellow to grow into a man."

"Who are you?" asked George, looking around.

"I am just the attic Brownie," replied the voice, "and here I am, if you want to see me." Then right on the window sill beside him George saw a little brown man, so little that George thought he could brush him off the sill if he said things he did not like.

"Try it and see if you can," said the little brown fellow, laughing and dancing on the window sill.

"Try what?" said George.

"See if you can brush me off the sill. That is what you were thinking of doing if I said anything you did not care to hear."

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The Woman Who Dared

A Story of Married Life

By Dale Drummond.

CHAPTER XXI.

ONE lovely afternoon while driving in the park I noticed a young girl on one of the benches along the west drive. I stopped the car and, after telling James to draw to the side of the road and wait, I sat down beside her. I saw that she was soon to become a mother, and something new and strange stirred in my breast. This girl was in dire trouble. I would help her and so bring an interest in my life.

"Why are you crying?" I asked the girl, who was rather pretty, in an indeterminate sort of way. "If you will tell me perhaps I can help you."

"At my words her sobs became almost hysterical, although she bravely tried to control them. She was trembling like a leaf. I put my arm around her and said: 'Come!'

I ordered James to drive home at once. I took her directly to my room. I dared not stop downstairs. Haakak might come in."

"What is your name?" I asked, after she had become calm.

"Clara Mullen."

"Mine is Burroughs, Mrs. Burroughs. Now tell me why you were weeping so bitterly."

The Girl's Story

HER eyes had widened and a frightened look had come into her face as I spoke. But smiling her condition, I showed no surprise. She had not replied to my question, so I said: "You are soon to become a mother."

"Yes," fairly, with quivering lips. "I will tell you the whole story. I'll tell you what I can help you."

"Oh—no—no! Oh, I must go!" she exclaimed and rose from her chair.

"No, sit down. I'll not ask you any more questions. Tell me as much as you wish. I'm going to help you—some way."

"I was a good girl, always have been. She spoke so low I had to move closer to hear. 'I worked in a man's office. He was married, but he told me he loved me, that he didn't love his wife. I believed him, and now—' She flushed with a heart-breaking sob.

"Have you a home, a mother?"

"Yes. But this morning my stepfather turned me out because I wouldn't tell him—who it was. Her tears started afresh.

"There, don't cry any more. It will make you ill. I'll see what I can do. You sit here for a few minutes. I won't be long."

I searched my wardrobe for something simple enough for the poor child—she was little more. I found an old, discarded suit case of Haakak's, and put in whatever I thought she would need—underwear and nightclothes. Then a soft wrapper and a bed jacket. Fortunately we were about the same size. I hesitated, then I opened a chest. The dainty wardrobe I had prepared for my own baby lay before me, but I could scarcely see it for my tears.

"Tenderly I laid the tiny garments and laid them on the bed."

When I showed the poor girl the contents of the suit case and assured her that I believed her story and was going to help her through her trouble, her gratitude almost overcame me.

A Big Undertaking

HAD told James to wait, and we drove down to the car; I told James to drive to the Woman's Hospital. I saw her comfortably installed in a small private room. I had intended having her put in the ward, but after looking things over, I decided she should have a room to herself. It was one of

Some New Recipes

A Bannage Croquette—A great many people are fond of bannage, but often do not dare to eat it because, fried as it usually is in grease, it is too rich for them and not easily digested.

A bannage croquette is delicate, digestible and economical.

Take half a pint cup of bannage, boil two medium-size potatoes and mash thoroughly with the bannage. Add a bit of onion and a little green tomato cut up, chop fine and put in half a pint of crumbs of light bread. Mix all thoroughly into a stiff dough, mold in small pyramids, and put on a pan lightly greased, then bake brown in oven.

This makes a capital dish and is far from the greasy fried lump of bannage we often expect our stomachs to digest.

Bacon Potatoes—One quart colored beans put to soak over night. In the morning put into clean cold water; boil 15 minutes, put into clean cold water and drain well. Slice in narrow bands with some meat, about three pounds in all, in a good-sized kettle with five quarts of water, pepper and salt to taste. The small red peppers are better than black peppers.

When the meat is boiling, pour in the beans and cook all day. Add more water if it cooks away. It ought to be a sort of a thin soup with a

quantity of very soft beans in the bottom and a very little meat as you serve it. The more times you warm it over the better it is. Keep it thin by adding water. It becomes sour very easily, so cool carefully, and get in a cold place between times.

Baked Macaroni with Peanut Butter—Break macaroni in one-inch pieces; there should be one cup. Cook 20 minutes, or until soft, in two quarts of boiling salted water. Drain in strainer and rinse with cold water. Arrange macaroni and cracked crumbs in alternate layers in a buttered baking dish. Soak two cups of milk in a double boiler and add gradually, while stirring constantly, to three and one-half tablespoonsful of peanut butter. When blended, season with one teaspoon of salt, add butter, and pour over the macaroni. Cover and bake in a slow oven 45 minutes. Remove cover and increase the oven heat until sufficiently brown on top.

Spanish Rice—Have ready a macaroni in which are two tablespoonsful of rice hot grease droppings. Throw in a half cupful of well-washed rice and toss about until nicely browned. Add one sliced tomato, one sliced onion and a clove of garlic and brown slightly. Cover the whole with hot water, season with salt and pepper. Cover and let the rice cook thoroughly, adding more water as needed. Do not stir, as the beauty of it lies in the plump, brown unbroken kernels.

THE smallest in the hospital, but when the matron told me the price I was agast at my temerity. My husband was a millionaire, yet I was frightened almost to death at taking upon myself such an obligation. However, I did so, and gave my name and address.

"I will be responsible for all pecuniary expenses," I told them, and again I saw that doglike look in Clara's eyes. And, promising to come again the following day, I left.

How was I to get the money for this girl's care?

All day I thought of one scheme after another, only to dismiss them as impossible. When night came I was no nearer the solution. Then of a sudden I decided. For once I would appeal to Haakak in the name of charity. It was not for myself, so I might be able to do something with him, say something that would impress him with the girl's need.

Fortunately at dinner he was in an unusually good humor. I had ordered his favorite dishes, and as he ate he complimented himself on his perspicacity in keeping so good a cook.

(To Be Continued.)

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"William"

"The Joke's on Me," Says Em Hailch, When William the Trusty Bank Messenger is Knocked Senseless by Footpads—and Then Genevieve, Who Lately Has Been Cold and Distant, Calls Him "My Hero!"

By Paul West.

HONEST, sometimes I think I ought to be givin' my name to the direct'ry man, to put among the Finnegans instead of the Doodys, the way it's always "off again, on again" with me. One minute my luck has me pushin' the clouds out of the way with my trusty aeroplane, an' the next I'm a stoker in a submarine. Like just when it's all over between me and Genevieve O'Reilly, on account of me lettin' myself get hipped by that flapper of a waitress, something happens to pull my market again.

After Smithy went and informed on me, about my goin' up to see the show and waitin' round the stage door for to walk home with Vivian Vavasseur, and gettin' left at the post, it looked like a lucky thing I hadn't blowed myself to any engagement ring for Genevieve, because it would sure of been a case of "take back your gold." She wouldn't have anything to do with me. I was about as popular with her as Kaiser Bill is in London, and when she went past me in the office you'd o' thought I was invisible to the human eye.

WASN'T worried about Smithy gettin' my job with her, though! Oh, no; I knowed that tightwad's limits, and after she and him had went out to lunch three or four times I could see him figurin' on a way to dodge it next chance. Genevieve O'Reilly looks like she lived on sweet music and cody crackers, but she's got an appetite like a lady longshoreman.

No, bein' wise to Smithy, it wasn't any surprise to see Genevieve blowin' round to the Dainty Stenographers' Tea-Room with the rest of the French Heels from the office for her chuck. "Valucky at love, lucky at other things," some guy says, and it was that way with me. I begun to be the pet of the pack round the office, old Em Hailch treatin' me like I was one of the family, and Mister Sylvester, the manager, slippin' me all the easy cases whenever he could. And the five dollars extra they was stuffin' in my envelop every week was sure well-come, too. But nothin' got a laugh out of me, I was that foggy over the way Genevieve was ignorin' me. Even when Sylvester calls me in his room one day, and tells me I'm goin' to be the office messenger for a try-out, I didn't ha-ha with joy over it, though that was the one job every lad in the place was always playin' politics for, and hopin' that whoever had it would be run over and his legs cut off.

It wasn't a soft job, either—that wasn't it—twas so important, carryin' his bags of money, or them thick valises chained round your neck and padlocked inside your vest, and maybe sometimes havin' a couple of private detectives chasin' along with you, to see you didn't try to run up an alley and catch the first train goin' away.

"Twas Genevieve herself told me what the messenger was doin'—takin' money and checks down to the clearin' house for to square up anything drawn against us. Then again, he'd have a big valise full of gold or bills—sometimes a couple of hundred thousand dollars' worth, and from the look of it 'twas a heavy load. And, oh, the hit the guy made with all the dames round the office, and the men they'd fire at him about "meetin' him in Canada," and all that! Then when he was outside the cops would take a look up the street when he hove in sight, for to make sure they was no strong-arms layin' in wait to play tag with the back of his bean with a stock of full of bricks and cop the coin. Oh, it's the important job, all right! All it needs is a brass band.

ANYHOW, Sylvester calls me in one day and tells me I'm to handle this job for a week, the regular messenger havin' quit on account of him havin' a tip he picked up when he'd deliverin' a bagful of gold in a millionaire's office, one day, and makin' so much money he's resigned to blow it in.

"An' William," says Sylvester, "I needn't remind you how important the position are. As a rule the man who fills it is got to be under heavy bonds, for the sums of money carried are often tremendous, as you doubtless know. But in your case Em Hailch is relyin' on your well-known honesty. This mornin', he says, 'you're goin' to be sent out on a little collection tour, and by the time you return,' he says, 'you'll doubtless weigh a little more than what you do now, and be worth considerable more, so take off your coat and vest,' he says, 'and leave us get you started.'

MUTT and JEFF—Jeff Could Have Made Good if Mutt Had Done His Part!

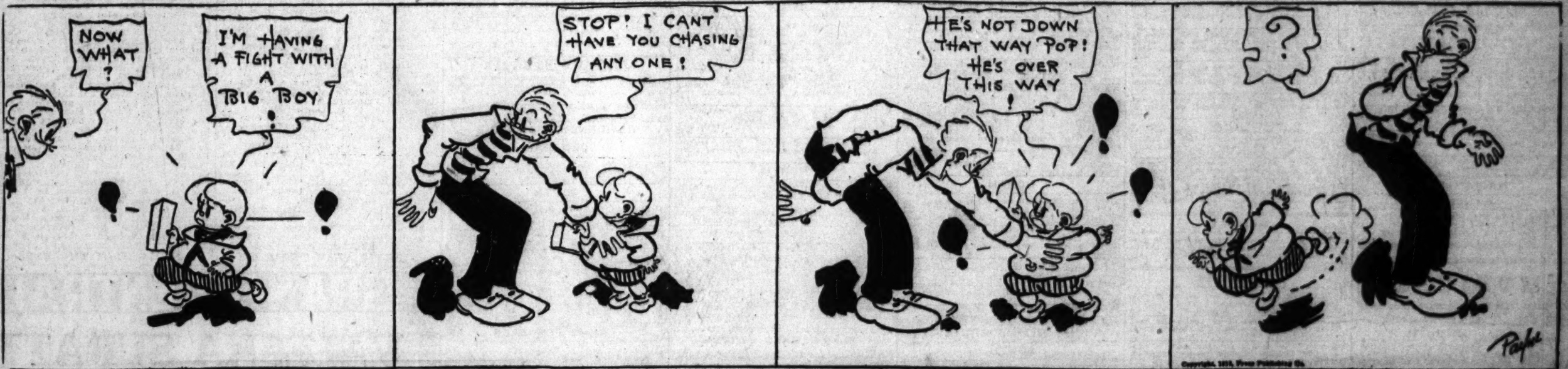
By Bud Fisher



'SMATTER POP?

When Halted, Willie Was in Retreat!

Drawn for the Post-Dispatch By O. M. PAYNE



Rube—"By heck, look at them foolish signs. Anybody can see those automobiles are empty."

and never for one instant leave a holt on the handle, or I'll see that you're murdered on your return. An' remember," he says, as I go out, "don't get the idee that your job is a dangerous one, then times bein' past when they used to be thieves and such layin' around. Th' guards I'm sendin' with you is solid!"

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ly for the purpose of causin' you to hesitate if it should pop into your mind to dive down the cesspool or anything. Hurry back," he says, and out I go.

WELL, didn't I make a hit when they seen me goin' out—all the stenogs and so forth! That is, all but Genevieve O'Reilly, who never skipped a beat on the typewriter she's playin' when I go through the office, with the bag in one hand, and the chain of the wallet clankin' round my waist, and Charley Gerstenberg and Billy Clapp the two office sloths, pussy-footin' round behind me! Wow! I felt as proud as a guy goin' to the electric chair! Out on the street, too, when any parties I knowed seen me, they near fainted with envy. Oh, I was the feature fillum down our way that day, I betcher!

I went to the two banks and handed in the slips of paper—notes they was—and the wads of bills they handed me back near made me wonder if it wasn't time the alarm clock was goin' off. A hundred and one thousand, at the first place, and seventy-six thousand and a pocket full of small change at the second! And it all went into my black bag!

No danger of my forgettin' what Sylvester told me about hangin' onto that bag tight! If the Germur army had come along they couldn't o' pried it out of my grip, I betcher! And when I got back to the office and opened the bag, and passed out the coin to the cashier, and he O. K.'d it—Oh, well, I guess I wasn't a little swelled up, or anything!

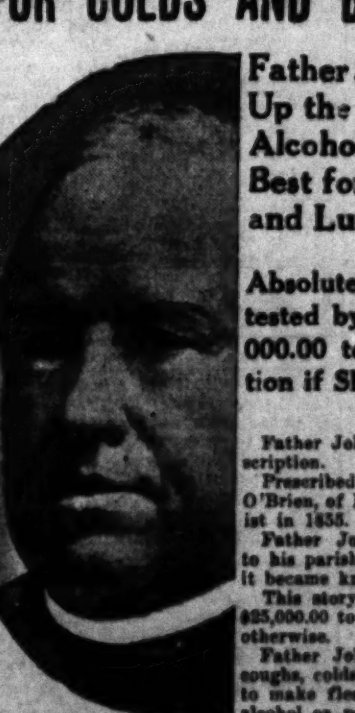
Only for all the hit it made with Genevieve O'Reilly, I might as well o' heast out by Wexley, the head clerk, to buy five cents' worth of spearmint!

takes my regular place outside Em Hailch's private office, when he holdsers for me.

"O H. William," he says, "are y' t'rough yet collectin' this mornin'?" an' I tell him I am. "Then I wonder," he says, "if you'd mind makin' a little private delivery for me to Col. Hardyman, th' president of the So-and-So Park Bank?" "Certainly not, I'd be only too proud, Mr. Mordant," I says, so he calls me around to his desk and slips me the regular black valise I lug the money in. "Take this," he says, "around to Col. Hardyman, William, with my compliments," and I grabbed it. Wow, but 'twas heavy, and I sized it up for gold or silver, right off the reel. "Yes, sir," I says startin' out, "an' will I have either of th' detectives go with me?" He laughs. "No, William," he says, "I guess 'twill not be necessary." There's confidence, hey?

So out I ducked, and walked slow through th' office, so Genevieve could get a peek at me goin' out without my guard—something I hadn't seen any messenger do for a long time. And that was all I knowed. All I remembered was goin' down with all the flags flyin', and just havin' sense enough to hang on to the handle of the black valise. And then—

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"W HAT happened?" I says, when I opened my eyes, like they always do in them story books. I'm layin' on me back in the room outside Em Hailch's private office, and there's a doctor or somebody with a white coat on rubbin' my head. And he says: "He's all right now!"

Then I hear a yell, and somebody else jumps on me, grabbin' me around the neck, and who is it but Genevieve, holierin'! "Oh, William, William! My hero!" "What's the rowdy-dow?" I says. "Did the buildin' fall on me?" "You was attacked and held up by footpads," she says, "but all you got was a bump on the back of the neck, and—" "Footpads!" I hollers, hoppin' up quick, with my head goin' around like a scrambled egg. "Footpads! And the money!" "You hung onto the bag, William," says somebody else, and it's old Em Hailch himself, holdin' out his fist to me to take hold of. "You hung onto it till the doctor had to pry it out of your hand when you were lugged in here, and you'll be rewarded, never fear," he says. "But!"

"But—but they got the coin out of it?" I hollers. He looks kind o' foolish, and comes over and slips me a nice new \$20 yaller back.

"William," he says, "they got nothin', because they was nothin' to get. I should o' told you, William," he says. "But that valise contained only some fine sweet potatoes from my Virginia farm, which I was sendin'," he says "to Col. Hardyman like I always do every fall. The joke's on me," he says. And Genevieve was still settin' there

hangin' on to my mitt as tight as I must o' hung onto that bag full o' sweet potatoes!

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